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Man made 2,400 threatening calls

BY JO DEEKS

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A DISGRUNTLED former employee at a pizza takeaway company made more than 2,400 phone calls to the premises over a four-month period, a court heard.

Mehdi Yaghobi, 27, admitted a charge of a harassment of Zablee Mansour and Papillion Pizza in Haverhill between April and August last year, by making 2,438 phone calls from Haverhill or elsewhere.

He appeared at Bury St Edmunds Magistrates' Court on Tuesday before district judge David Cooper, who ordered him to do 80 hours of unpaid work over the next year and made a restraining order preventing him from entering Haverhill or contacting the pizza company or its staff.

Tess Mann, prosecuting, said Yaghobi called the company repeatedly, often hundreds of times a day, making threats to the owner and other staff members. He said his intention was to ruin the business and make it impossible for those ordering pizzas to get through.

His former employer recognised his voice

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Jubilee Park plan gets green light for former school site

PLANS to create a Jubilee Park and allotments on a former school site have been approved by planners – but they have deferred a controversial application for a wind tower to hold a site inspection.

Members of St Edmundsbury Borough Council's development control committee meeting last Thursday approved the plan to create a park named in honour of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee at the site of the former Clements Primary School in Haverhill, which was demolished after a new school opened nearby last year.

South Suffolk Wind Energy Limited's application to put up an 80m mast in Stoke by Clare to assess whether the area is suitable for a wind farm was recommended for approval despite strong objections from conservation groups, residents and councillors. However, the committee agreed to hold a site visit on April 19 before deciding on the application.

Another application, for consent to retain six modular buildings put up without consent at the Broadlands Hall school for pupils with special needs at Little Wratting, was also deferred for a site inspection.

Cemetery gates close as upgrade work starts

WORK starts today to maintain the main gates at Haverhill Cemetery in Withersfield Road, ready for them to be automated.

The gates will be closed until Tuesday while this is being done, and access for blue badge and funeral cars will be through the Broadcroft Crescent gates. Currently a member of staff unlocks and locks the gates manually each day. When the automated gates come into service visitors will not be reminded that it is closing time. If they find the gates closed, instructions tell them how to use a button to exit.

The cemetery winter opening hours are 8am to 4.30pm and the summer hours are 8am to 7pm. Outside these times the regulations permit only cemetery staff to be in the grounds. Explanatory signs have been posted at points around the cemetery and staff are on hand to talk to visitors.

Table-top sale for aid work

A TABLE-TOP sale is to be held in Steeple Bumpstead Church in aid of the Samaritan's Purse Hope Project on Saturday from 10.30am to 2pm at the venue in Chapel Street.

Money raised will help the Christian charity provide spiritual and physical aid in countries across Africa, Eastern Europe and Central Asia.

Waste centre fire probe is launched

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INVESTIGATIONS are continuing into the cause of a huge recycling plant fire which burned for four days.

More than 50 firefighters tackled the blaze at the Waste Recycling Group plant in Homefield Road, Haverhill, which started on Monday, February 27 and was not put out until last Thursday afternoon.

Residents were advised to keep their doors and windows shut. Some staff at nearby premises were sent home after feeling effects from breathing in the smoke.

A spokesman for the Environment Agency said an investigation had been launched into the fire and the company had been told it could not accept new waste at the site until the damaged buildings had been repaired and fire prevention equipment put in place.

Andrew Smith, a director at WRG, said today that it was hoped to have the plant operating again in about three weeks.

He said: "The fire service wanted to wait until the smoke had cleared within the building, so it took longer than anyone expected to put it out completely. It was not blazing, just smouldering waste by then."

"We have to make some repairs and replace some mechanisms that

Incident: crews fight the fire at the Waste Recycling Centre in Homefield Road last week. Picture: Keith Heppell 807904.



were damaged in the fire, such as a spray mechanism to deal with flies. Then once the environment officer and other statutory authorities are happy, we hope to reopen and begin providing our services again in about three weeks.

"We have not been able to establish the cause of the fire and it may be that we are not able to at all. It can be something as simply as barbecue embers that people put in their bins in the summer that start these fires, and we would ask people to think twice about what they put into their waste."

"Fire prevention measures were already in place and these will be restored, as well as some additional measures above and beyond what we are required to provide. These fires are sometimes difficult to detect and we are talking to various bodies to see what practical measures can be put in place to prevent fires and to deal with them if they do occur."

"We are have been talking to our neighbours and have set up a useful dialogue to make sure that we are in contact with them in the future and address their concerns."

Former pizza worker made 2,400 calls to old workplace

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and his mobile number, and had been forced to pay £250 a week to get his calls screened.

Aja Hall, for Yaghobi, who now lives in Gospatrick Road, London, said the offence arose after he had been very seriously assaulted while working as a cleaner at the company, with his jaw broken in two places and permanent nerve damage caused to his face. He had lost his job, while those he said had caused his injuries were still working there.

Police had initially told him his attackers would be charged with causing him grievous bodily harm, but the case was dropped before it went to court. He had been unhappy about losing his job and also claimed he was owed money by his former employer.

Ms Hall said: "He appreciated the volume of calls was excessive, but says it was hundreds rather than more than 2,000. It was obviously very unpleasant for someone trying to run a business, but the injuries caused to him do somewhat overshadow that."

Judge Cooper said although the defendant had made some "fairly blood-curdling and obscene threats", he had taken into accounts his previous good character and the injuries he had suffered.

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Pensioner's anger at bus shelters closure

A PENSIONER has slammed the council for closing off bus shelters and leaving elderly passengers to get soaked.

Long-awaited replacement shelters at Haverhill bus station have been dogged by problems ever since they were installed in 2009 at a cost of almost £300,000.

They were completely replaced in 2010, after more than 2,000 people signed a petition saying they were too small for wheelchairs or mums with buggies. Last week all the shelters were closed to the public, after an inspection revealed that the wrong kind of concrete had been used in putting them up and they could be unstable.

Terence Turner, 68, of Pentlow Hawke Close, Haverhill, said he could not understand why there had been so many problems with the shelters and felt it was an over-reaction to close them off completely.

He said: "I think it is absolutely disgraceful. A lot of elderly people use the buses and they have just been left to stand out in the wind and pouring rain. I have had an extension built

on my house and I have never heard of builders using the wrong kind of concrete.

"They have started work on them and then just left them. This sort of thing would not happen in Bury St Edmunds – it just seems that anything will do when it comes to Haverhill. I use the bus shelters quite a bit and it does not look like a health and safety issue, they just need to replace the concrete. Bury has a large shelter and a cafe and here people have to wait for a bus out in the rain."

Suffolk county councillor Anne Gower is calling for the work to be completed as quickly as possible and also seeking assurances about the quality of contractors being used. She said: "I know things do happen, but this is just not good enough. "First we had the wrong shelters, then the roofs leaked and now they are unstable. The whole thing has been a complete disaster."

A spokesman for Suffolk County Council said work was due to start on Monday and expected to take until March 23.

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Day at the races: Jamie Laing, left and Spencer Matthews
Picture: Gary Brown

Made in Chelsea, played in Horseheath

RACEGOERS were surprised to be greeted by members of the cast of reality TV show *Made in Chelsea*.

The stars of the show flamboyantly entered Horseheath racecourse for the Thurlow Hunt Point to Point meeting in a Jaguar painted with the union flag.

Jamie Laing, heir to the McVitie's

fortune, party boy Spencer Matthews and Ollie Locke, London nightlife host, spent the day filming for an episode to run in the third series, likely to be broadcast in April.

The show follows the life of the well-heeled 20-somethings from the wealthy Chelsea district of London.

Drop-in help on mental health

DROP-IN sessions for people with mental health issues or their family are taking place over the next four months. The Haverhill Voluntary and Statutory Partnership group is inviting people along for a coffee at the Sunflower Cafe next door to the library for wellbeing drop-in sessions. They will find information and leaflets on local services to support them.

The partnership is a group of local agencies working with people with mental health issues. The sessions will be held on Friday, April 13, Saturday, May 5, Friday, June 1 and Friday, July 6, between 10am and noon. Members of the partnership will be available to talk to at the April drop-in, with representatives from Workwise and Age UK, REACH Centre and Haverhill Volunteer Centre at the May session and Family Carers and Age UK at the June meeting.

Contact the Haverhill Volunteer Centre on (01440) 708444 or info@hvc.org.uk for further information.

Churches: 'we are still open'

"OPEN as usual" is the message from two churches – despite having no vicar.

Rev Jim Hart led his final services at the parishes of St Andrew's, Helions Bumpstead, and St Mary's, Steeple Bumpstead, on Christmas Day and ever since the sister churches have not had a full-time replacement.

But thanks to stand-ins from across the area, services have continued, and a new vicar is expected to be named by the end of the summer.

Dee Robinson, churchwarden at St Mary's, said: "We would like to reassure people that there is still lots going on at both churches."

"For more information, look at the parish notice boards or call me on 07889 455398."

Collections on for food bank

NON-PERISHABLE items for a food bank will be collected at a supermarket this weekend.

Members of the Haverhill Food Bank will be collecting food donations at the town's Aldi supermarket on Saturday, March 10 from 9am to 1pm.

Henry Wilson, organiser of the food bank, said: "We have seen a marked increase in the amount of food we are giving out at the moment. There are benefit issues, redundancy and many reasons why people need our help."

Food items can also be donated at the Next Door coffee shop at the Methodist church in Camps Road or at St Mary's Church in the town centre. Items can also be donated to the furniture bank by phoning (01440) 712950.

Half-marathon back for more!



Step out: from left, White Horse landlord Doug Bollen, Leela Huckstep from the James Whale Fund for Kidney Cancer, Vicki Quelch of Fitness Focus Gym and Sarah Ridge from James Whale launch the second Jog On to Kidney Cancer event.

Picture: Keith Jones 808906.

RUNNERS and walkers are invited to sign up to join in a second half-marathon in aid of a cancer charity in May.

Following the great success of the first Jog On to Kidney Cancer last October, organisers are running the event again for 2012, on Sunday, May 27, starting from the White Horse Pub in Withersfield.

This year the route is bigger and better and has been extended to reach the exact 13-mile distance, a picturesque route set in the heart of Suffolk countryside.

Nearly 40 people braved the blisters on the hottest October day on record last year to raise cash for the James Whale Fund for Kidney Cancer. Leela Huckstep, who works at the charity's office in Shudy

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Camps, arranged the event and is hoping that many more will join the ranks this time.

She said: "We managed to raise £3,000 last year, which was fantastic for a first year. We hope runners will put the date on their calendar and also encourage those who want to walk or jog to register now."

"We have again been fortunate to be supported by landlord and landlady Doug and Karen from the White Horse Pub, who are keen to see us double the funds which were raised last year."

"Danny Quelch from Fitness Focus gym in Clavering has also kindly offered sponsorship and will be helping us actively recruit entrants. A

huge thank-you also goes to Dilip Visana from Kedington Village Stores for again supplying us with water to hand out to entrants."

The event is open to people of all abilities, so walkers, joggers and runners are welcome.

Those taking part will set off from The White Horse Pub along Skippers Lane, right into West Wrattling and on to Carlton and Great Thurlow before returning to Withersfield, looping round to end at the White Horse.

Registration is £15, which includes refreshments and a T-shirt. Registration and sponsor forms can be found at www.jameswhalefund.org.

Forms should be sent to Leela Huckstep, James Whale Fund, 46-48, Kings St, Cambridge, CB1 1LN.

Town's Tim will be next St Edmundsbury mayor



A HAVERHILL councillor has been nominated as Mayor of St Edmundsbury for the first time in 14 years.

Cllr Tim Marks' nomination by the Mayoral Advisory Committee was announced at the meeting of the borough council on February 28. Cllr Marks will take up his appointment following formal election at the mayor-making ceremony at the next meeting of the borough council on May 17.

Cllr Marks, pictured, was a Haverhill town councillor from 2003-2007 and was Haverhill mayor in 2004/5 and 2005/6. He has been a borough councillor for Haverhill North ward since 2007 and also a county councillor since 2005.

Tim said he was delighted that the next Mayor of St Edmundsbury has been selected from Haverhill, which

reflects its importance as a progressive and fast-growing town in the borough.

Tim has lived in Haverhill for 12 years with his wife Margaret, a former town councillor, a founder member of Haverhill Community First Responders and an active member of St John Ambulance.

Tim is now retired, having spent all of his working life in agricultural-related business.

After graduating from London University in 1958 he went on to obtain postgraduate diplomas at Cambridge University and Imperial College of Tropical Agriculture in Trinidad before becoming a colonial officer in Sierra Leone.

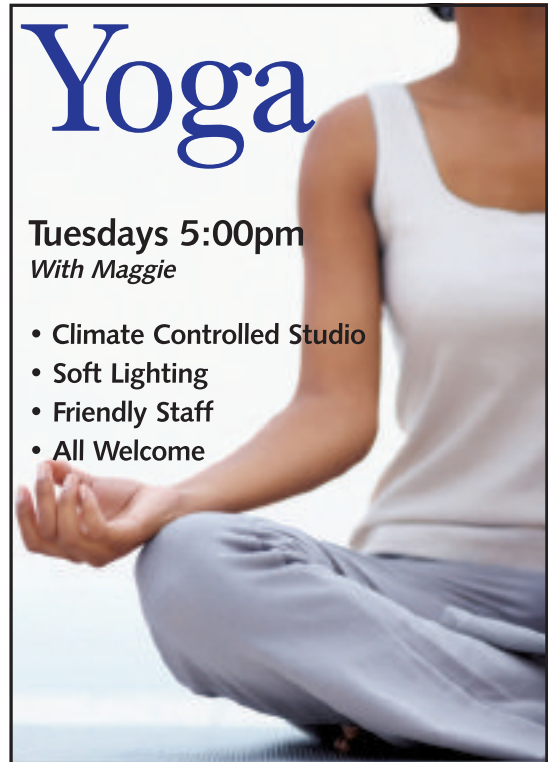
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Show needs committee members and helpers

NEW committee members and helpers are needed to help organise this year's Haverhill Show.

The two-day event will take place on July 7 and 8, raising money for LAMPH, the Haverhill-based group for adults and children with disabilities.

A meeting is taking place on Sunday at the Days Inn hotel, Haverhill, at 7.30pm and anyone interested in helping is welcome to attend.

Ben Driver helps organise the event with his father Mick, and it is run in association with the *Weekly News*.

Ben said: "We are trying to recruit some more committee members and if they do not want to be as committed as that we also need helpers on the day."

"We will be holding our first car boot sale on the Recreation Ground on March 25 and anyone who wants to help out can just turn up at the meeting."

Anyone who would like more information, or who cannot make the meeting, can contact Ben on 077945 92735 or Mick on 07791 999999.

Ella's book launch in the TV spotlight



In print: Ella Richardson with her book and left, with classmates from Castle Manor Business and Enterprise College.
Picture: Richard Patterson 808674.

SCHOOLGIRL Ella Richardson has had a 13th birthday celebration to remember – after launching her first book live on television.

Television cameras from ITV's *Daybreak* show filmed the launch of Ella's book *The Bear and the Bees* at Waterstones in Cambridge, last Thursday – World Book Day.

The show arranged a bus to bring along her family and classmates from Castle Manor Business and Enterprise College in Haverhill.

Ella, from Hamlet Road, Haverhill, won a competition organised by *Daybreak* to write a story centred on bear and bee characters drawn by children's illustrator Lydia Monks.

Last September Ella received a surprise visit from band The Wanted, who helped judge the contest, telling her that she had been chosen as the winner from more than 7,000 entries. Thousands of copies of the book, published by Macmillan, will be on sale at Tesco, WH Smith, Waterstones and also online.

Luke Pearson, a senior producer with *Daybreak*, said: "Her story is about the fact that it is OK to be different. The bear goes to school with the bees and at first they pick on him, but then he wins them over and they realise it is OK to be different."

"It has great characters, is very original

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and has a great anti-bullying message. It is a proper book deal and a lot of people who had seen her on television this morning came into get books signed after we had stopped filming."

Mum Barbara also appeared on *Daybreak* with her daughter. She said: "It is great that so many children are going to see her story. I am very proud of her."

Ella said: "The whole bullying theme was because everyone goes through it at some stage and it is OK to be different."

"I was really nervous about being on television, but I think it went OK. I have not watched it yet. It was really weird seeing my book, with my name on it, in the shop window."

"My whole class came to the launch and I signed all their copies. Everyone was talking about it when we got back and they all thought it was really good."

"There was a review on Amazon and someone said I should write a sequel. I might try and write a few more. I really like writing and winning the competition made me think about it a bit more."

Ella received a £5,000 lump sum as part of her competition prize, as well as tickets to see The Wanted at the O2 arena in London on Saturday.

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Children bring books to life

FIREMAN Sam and Buzz Lightyear went along to a playgroup – but the Queen of Hearts walked away with the prize.

Children at the Stepping Stones playgroup, which meets at Coupsals Primary School in Haverhill, celebrated World Book Day by dressing up as their favourite book characters.

Mayor of St Edmundsbury Cllr Christopher Spicer went along to judge the winner from the 20 youngsters in the morning session. There was also a prize for the best of the 20 characters in the afternoon. Four-year-old Ellie Whistler won the morning prize and took along a tray of jam tarts to share with the other children.

The afternoon winner, judged by Cllr Maureen Byrne, mayor of Haverhill, was Riley Symonds dressed as a pirate.

Elaine McManus, leader of the group, said: "We had cats and nurses, fairies and princesses – it



Bookworms: winner Ellie Whistler, with her tarts, with Stepping Stones manager Elaine McManus as Andy Pandy and St Edmundsbury mayor Christopher Spicer.

Picture: Richard Patterson 808711.

was brilliant. We also hired 50 outfits for the children from Creative Occasions, so they could change outfits during the day."

Parents were invited to attend a special breakfast before the

morning session started or a special afternoon tea after the afternoon session had ended, to share books with their children.

All children received a World Book Day token, enabling them to

get one of eight free books at participating shops or £1 off a book.

The group has a waiting list for places in September. Phone (01440) 761018.

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The closing date for the first round of applications is Sunday, April 8. The applications will be considered by the grants panel of ONE Haverhill and successful applicants will be notified within three weeks.

Anne Gower, chairman of ONE

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Haverhill, said: "ONE Haverhill is keen to support local groups with existing or future projects and would welcome applications for funding.

"The aims of the grants must be to provide value for money but we want to look for something which makes a difference to the people of Haverhill. This is money held locally to be spent locally and I look forward to seeing the applications so that we can get the money out there working."

More information and appli-

ication forms are available by visiting www.stedmundsbury.gov.uk/sebchwork/onehaverhill.cfm.

You can discuss your application by phoning (01440) 712858. Completed forms should be sent to ONE Haverhill Grants Scheme, c/o Haverhill Arts Centre, High Street, Haverhill, CB9 8AR.

Applications are invited for projects up to the value of £5,000 per application which meet three or more key criteria, from groups which can demonstrate that they will make a difference to the people of Haverhill, and are clear about their objectives, plans for the project and how they will measure effectiveness.

Couple charged with neglecting and assaulting baby

A COUPLE have appeared in court charged with assaulting and neglecting their three-week-old son.

The 20-year-old man and 21-year-old woman from Haverhill, who cannot be identified for

legal reasons, indicated they intend to plead not guilty when they appeared at Bury St Edmunds Magistrates' Court last Thursday.

Magistrates declined jurisdiction in the case

and it was adjourned for six weeks for committal to Ipswich Crown Court. Bail was granted to the pair, who each face three charges of assaulting, ill-treating or neglecting a child between August 10

and September 7 last year.

Prosecutor Wayne Abblett said the boy had suffered four fractures and that it was alleged that his parents had delayed providing him with proper medical attention.

Inquest into biker's death

AN inquest will be opened into the death of a motorcyclist who was killed in Great Wratting.

David Burwash, 50, was in a collision with a van in Thurlow Road shortly after 5pm on October 4 last year.

Mr Burwash was from Ashen, Sudbury. The inquest will be held on April 3 at West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St Edmunds.

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Use local skills for bus shelters

Sir, I really must support the views of my colleague Cllr Anne Gower over the problems we in Haverhill have experienced with the bus shelters at the station adjacent to Jubilee Walk ("Cordons go up at disaster-hit bus station", *Weekly News*, March 1).

One of the things people see when they come into Haverhill and arrive at the bus station are the bus shelters, so it doesn't help to promote Haverhill by having them fenced off for safety reasons. We are all being told to buy local, but obviously nobody has told Suffolk County Council about this. From my experience we have enough quality fabrication engineers locally who could have manufactured the Haverhill bus shelters to a given design and of a better quality. One only has to take a look at the quality of build of the Queen Street gates, not that I like the design personally, to see what can be manufactured in the Haverhill area.

As for the aspect of the concrete mix I would imagine that any second-year building student could get that right. I might also point out that there is a difference in buying cheap and buying value for money, plus the aspect of the calibre of the contractor.

If Suffolk County Council had gone local then rare odd faults appearing could have been dealt with without delay.

From my experience of engineering manufacturing and inspection, on an odd bad day local engineers can produce better quality work from what I have seen of the bus shelters at the bus station.

Finally, it was agreed at one of the HAWP meetings when I was on that committee that the CB9 logo would be installed on the bus shelters at the Haverhill bus station. It appears Suffolk County Council have missed out this aspect when ordering the bus shelters, so this also needs to be addressed and the CB9 logo installed.

Gordon Cox
Hundon Place
Haverhill

Setting a date for burglars

Sir, Haverhill's a funny old town these days, living close to the old Chalkstone Middle School we are presented with a ruin of a building now, with its smashed windows and torn features that must make the former teachers, pupils and workers wonder what the town really thought of their school. The council continue to hold an eyeglass to their blind eye and say "I see no problems", even though the stretched, red-tape-tied police force and the townspeople keep telling them to turn back on the lights to help reduce crime and make people feel safer. Yet we can all sleep safer knowing that the council is saving money, putting it towards bus shelters perhaps, and do not see these

MEMORIES



■ **THIS week's picture**, taken from our archives, shows a group of boys. Do you recognise anyone in the picture or know what the event was? Do you know where and when it was taken?

Send your answers to: Memories, Haverhill Weekly News, 4 Queen Street, Haverhill, CB9 9EF by Tuesday morning, or email editorial@haverhillweeklynews.co.uk

Picture: 386405.

Last week's Memories photograph, from our archives, prompted a response from a reader, who rang in with some names: Pat Hammond on the right-hand side, a lady known only as Sue next to her, then Polly Sennessy next to her. The blonde lady was identified as Sheila White and it was thought the picture was taken outside council offices in 1965-67. According to our records, the picture, taken in July 1967, was taken to promote a Haverhill anti-litter campaign.

Picture: 229728.



problems from their homes. Money must be being saved on the bins that are not being removed even though they are often overflowing; however, as most of the rubbish is thrown on to the floor anyway by people I can see their reasoning.

I read your paper each week and it sadly reads like a crime journal with each page filled with burglary and arson, so I laughed out loud when reading the advertisement on the upcoming antiques road show featured in the March 1 copy with the very first paragraph stating that "In almost every home in the country there is a corner where something of value lies hidden away that could be turned into cash".

So with our ineffective council and tied police force held back, come

on burglars of Haverhill – you have a date to keep!

David Howden
Feltwell Place
Haverhill

OUR vision is being ignored

Sir, regarding Haverhill Vision 2031 ... our vision manipulated? ("Public urged to speak out on vision for future", *Weekly News*, March 1).

Were our views listened to in the first stage of consultation on North East Haverhill? Interested residents were divided into four groups and worked with the developers to advise them on their vision for the area.

All the groups naturally had differing views about the development but on three things they all agreed.

- No access road from the development onto the Coupals Road
- A country parkland area in the triangle between the Wilsey estate, Coupals Road, and Calford Green
- Protection of existing woodland belts.

You can see this clearly on the development maps they produced (Combined Haverhill PDF Community Involvement Statement Bidwells Appendix 21). Now at the second stage consultation we have the developer's preferred option which includes

- An estate access road onto Coupals Road
 - Housing cutting through the suggested parkland area.
 - Some existing woodland belts included in the development area.
- Vision 2031 gives the impression that our views are being sought, but the proposals so far do not reflect the consensus of those views. We now all have another chance to comment. To have our views ignored once might seem careless; to have them ignored twice might seem deliberate!

Ian Johnson
Marcus Close
Haverhill

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Alternatively write to: Letters to the Editor, Haverhill Weekly News, 4 Queen Street, Haverhill, CB9 9EF.



Branching out: co-owner Emma Davis shows off some cupcakes in the new Cheeky Chimps Simply Outgrown shop. Picture: Keith Jones 808904.

It's monkey business at new shop

FAMILIES visiting an indoor play centre will be able to pick up some bargains following the launch of a new shop.

Cheeky Chimps Funhouse in Boundary Road, Haverhill, has launched its Simply Outgrown shop, selling high-quality second-hand children's items at low prices. Mums of young children, Cheeky Chimps owners Emma Davis and Nicola Hind,

saw a gap in the market for low-cost second-hand children and baby items.

Cheeky Chimps is now broadening its horizons and will soon be offering "Zumbatronic for Kids" with zumba instructor Hannah Oakley, as well as children's music classes and baby yoga.

They are also making cupcakes to order and planning an outdoor activity

area for adults and children.

Emma said: "We are so excited at Cheeky Chimps at the moment. Not only have we been able to start a fantastic business that benefits both us and our families, we also have so many new things in the pipeline."

For more details of groups, sessions, room bookings or events, phone (01440) 707711, or email info@cheekychimpsfunhouse.co.uk.

Theft victim spots his bike

A DISTINCTIVE mountain bike which had been stolen was seen by its owner being ridden past his home three days later. Police in Haverhill are appealing for information following the bicycle theft from an address in Mill Hill between noon and 5pm on Sunday, February 26.

An unknown man was subsequently seen by the victim cycling past his address, travelling towards the Recreation Ground at 2.50pm on Wednesday, February 29.

The bike is described as having a yellow frame and features the words 'Eagle Warrior' in black lettering. It has black paint flicks across the frame.

Anyone with any information is asked to contact PC Michael Potter on 101 or Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.

Car wiper is snapped off

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Deaths

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Landlord raises alarm on £1m cannabis farm



Drugs haul: some of the plants found at a cannabis factory in an industrial unit in Linton.

Picture: Keith Jones 809557.

A CANNABIS factory believed to have produced drugs worth up to £1m since it was set up in December was uncovered by police on Monday.

Police found a system of lights, heating, nutrients and water at an industrial unit in The Grip, Linton, that had already supported about 1,500 harvested plants across two floors and five rooms, and was being used again to grow the next crop.

The alarm had been raised by the property's landlord when he didn't get a response from his tenants, who had moved in at the end of last year. He let himself in to the property.

Gavin Guy, Cambridgeshire police's drugs expert, said: "Almost every room had been adapted, all light was blocked from outside, there were CCTV cameras in front of the address covering the approach, and the electricity had been illegally bypassed."

"The indication is that they left in a hurry, given that there were five crops

BY ADAM LUKE

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left behind that they didn't get round to harvesting.

"We aren't sure why they left, but they appear to have been a very skilful and experienced organised crime group."

PC Guy added: "It is unusual to find factories like this in industrial units – this is far more significant than any residential property we have uncovered."

One ground-floor room contained 600 rooted cuttings, another room contained around 120 intermediate plants and a third contained dozens more.

Upstairs, there were five mature plants remaining alongside several hundred similar pots where the cannabis had already been harvested.

Engineers for EDF Energy were called in to make the electricity supply safe before police forensic teams moved in.

Say 'hello, Dolly' to next best thing at Arts Centre

FANS of singer Dolly Parton can enjoy all her biggest hits at a show on Sunday.

With smash hits such as *Jolene*, *Islands in the Stream*, *I Will Always Love You* and *9 To 5*, Dolly Parton is a global superstar and in tribute to her and all things Dolly, Andrea Pattison sings all these songs plus a few of her own in *The Dolly Parton Story* at Haverhill Arts Centre.

Andrea is able to closely mimic Dolly's unmistakable sound and phrasing, as well as her renowned onstage wit and charm.

She was even recently mistaken for the real thing by a Hong Kong based company who then started selling her pictures on eBay.

Andrea Pattison, a professional singer

in her own right, teams up with live band The Partoners. As well as celebrating the life and music of Dolly, Andrea incorporates her experiences and music into the show.

Andrea's first album of original songs *Stormy's Daughter* was recently released and one of the songs will feature in the show.

Dolly's influence on Andrea's writing and singing is obvious throughout the album, but especially evident on the Bluegrass track *Nobody's Baby* – a heartfelt recollection of her less-than-idyllic early life in Sunderland.

The show starts at 7.30pm and tickets are £16.50, available from the Box Office on (01440) 714140 and www.haverhillartscentre.co.uk.

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The *Weekly News* has teamed up with Haverhill Town Council for the Jubilee Factor – our quest to find the best local amateur singers to perform alongside professional acts at a special Jubilee Concert on Saturday, June 2 on the Market Square.

The event, celebrating the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, promises to be a right royal day out – and we're holding an open audition on **Saturday April 14** at Haverhill Arts Centre between 10am and 5pm and a panel of judges will choose the best to take centre stage on the big day.

As long as you know a song

from the last 60 years (perhaps something by Queen, although the royal theme's not essential!) you can audition by turning up on the day or phoning 01440 714140 to book a slot in advance.

Alternatively, complete the application form below and return it to *The Jubilee Factor*, Haverhill Arts Centre, High Street, Haverhill CB9 8AR.

Nick Keeble, arts and leisure manager with Haverhill Town Council, said: "We ran a successful talent competition a few years ago where the winners performed to large crowds of the Market Square."

"The Jubilee Factor gives us another chance to let talented locals show what they can do. We are hoping that all ages will enter the competition with a

range of songs from the last 60 years."

Weekly News editor Alex Day said: "There are a lot of talented people in Haverhill and we're looking forward to hearing what they can do and seeing the town showcased at its very best on June 2."

Children aged 8 -14 must be accompanied by an adult at the audition and participants' backing tracks should be provided on CD or MP3.

The winners will also have a chance to work with a voice coach to enhance their performance.

Keep an eye on the *Weekly News* for updates on the competition, including details of the judging panel and voice coach and more on the big concert itself.

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Showing support: Genzyme staff who took part in fundraising events for International Rare Disease Day.

Genzyme staff do their bit

BAKING cakes and burning calories were just some of the activities staff at a biotech company took part in during a charity fundraising day.

Staff at the Genzyme site in Haverhill hosted a number of events to raise awareness for International Rare Disease Day including a cake sale as well as a calorie-burn and distance challenge, where employees participated in a 20-minute cycling competition and were asked to make a donation.

Prizes were given for the highest number of calories burned and the highest number of miles cycled.

The proceeds made from

the sale and the cycling challenge will go to Genetic Alliance UK, a national charity of more than 150 patient organisations supporting all those affected by genetic conditions.

The events are aimed at highlighting rare diseases as a public health issue, and to emphasise the growing need for access to information, research and treatment.

In addition to its role in manufacturing the active ingredients for medicines to treat chronic kidney disease, Genzyme's Haverhill site is a major global distribution centre for the company's products including its treatments for the rare

genetic conditions pompe disease, fabry disease, gaucher disease and MPSI.

John Gamston, general manager at Genzyme, Haverhill, said: "Genzyme is dedicated to providing patients with rare diseases the treatment they need.

"We are proud to support Genetic Alliance UK and its invaluable work in improving the lives of individuals affected by genetic conditions. Last year's event was a great success and we hope to build on it this year, by encouraging more of our staff to get involved to help raise awareness around patients living with rare diseases."

'You're vital to our town'

BY JO DEEKS

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A BEFRIENDING scheme for vulnerable adults was supported by Haverhill's mayor at its launch.

Cllr Maureen Byrne attended the launch party for the Haverhill Hub of the Suffolk Befriending Scheme.

The Haverhill Hub offers some of the town's most vulnerable adults – many with mental health needs and significant learning disabilities – a place to go and enjoy the company of other adults, and join in with a

Mayor backs launch of befriending scheme for most vulnerable people

range of activities and events each week.

Congratulating Ruth Barton, volunteer coordinator for the hub, Cllr Byrne said: "This is a wonderful initiative that gives real help and support to some of the most vulnerable people in Haverhill. The town council is delighted to support you.

"I believe strongly that without the fantastic

work of volunteer groups like the Befriending Scheme, the town would really struggle. They are a vital part of the community and the town council is proud to support them."

The Befriending Scheme provides friendship and learning opportunities for adults from vulnerable groups, including those with mental health needs and older

people. It also offers a variety of volunteering opportunities.

Core activities include running regular drop-in centres, known as Hubs such as the one in Haverhill; building meaningful one-to-one friendships between vulnerable people and volunteer befrienders, evening befrienders clubs and Saturday morning groups.

The scheme also runs one-off themed activity days, workshops and social events as well as providing volunteer training and support for carers across Suffolk.

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The appeal is Marie Curie's biggest fundraising campaign and throughout the month volunteer collectors are out asking people to wear a daffodil, in return for a donation. All money raised from the appeal helps provide more free nursing care for people with a terminal illness in their own homes.

Research shows around 65 per cent of people would like to die at home if they had a terminal illness, with a sizeable minority opting for hospice care. However, more than 50 per cent of cancer deaths still occur in hospital, the place people say they would least like to be. Since 2004 Marie Curie Cancer Care has been campaigning for more patients to be able to die in their place of choice and last year the charity made this possible for more than 31,000 people.

Daffodil pins can be picked up from local stores, Marie Curie volunteer collectors, Marie Curie Shops and the charity's website throughout March. For more information on how to get involved in the Great Daffodil Appeal, please visit: www.mariecurie.org.uk/daffodil or call 0845 601 3107.



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Lighting fears in 'dead-end' alley

BY JO DEEKS

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ANOTHER resident has raised concerns about lack of street lighting in a 'dead-end' alleyway next to his home.

John McDonagh, of Landseer Court, Haverhill, says he believes the pitch darkness after midnight is a danger to people walking and a security issue.

Since Suffolk County Council introduced a new lighting system last year and began switching of many lights in Haverhill and across the county from midnight to 5.30am, a number of residents have complained of dangerous dark areas.

Even the town's police sector commander Insp Peter Ferrie raised concerns about his officers not being able to patrol estates effectively because it was too dark.

Haverhill Town Council asked for a meeting with Suffolk County Council to discuss turning some of the lights back on, but the request was turned down.

Mr McDonagh said he had tried to complain about the lack of lighting, but had been referred to a website and had not been able to talk to anyone about his concerns.

He said: "My daughter complained she could not even find my back gate, it is so dark out there. I think it is diabolical. Who is going to



Not safe: John McDonagh is concerned about street lights being turned off at night in Landseer Court, Haverhill.

Picture: Keith Jones 809503.

take responsibility if someone gets raped or murdered because they cannot see that they are running into a dead end? God help a girl if she got attacked up here and tried to run away, because she would end up in a blind alley, completed hemmed in.

"I know they are trying to save money, but it is common sense to leave a few lights on so that people can see where they are going. We get a lot of people walking through in the early hours. I come from Derbyshire and they're not switching the lights off there."

A spokesman for Suffolk County Council urged Mr McDonagh to email his concern to the authority's street lighting section so it

could be investigated and acted upon if necessary.

Cllr Guy McGregor, Suffolk County Council's portfolio holder for roads and transport, said: "We are committed to continuing to work with local councils, the police and safer neighbourhood teams to ensure that we implement the new intelligent lighting system effectively in all areas.

"We are sensitive to local need which is why we've made it possible for street lighting to be left on for longer periods - or remaining on all night - where it's necessary for safety.

"The suggestion of keeping one in every three lights has been considered in the past.

However, this is considered to be dangerous for drivers as they attempt to adjust their eyes to bright and dark lighting levels. In remote pedestrian areas, isolated lights may also attract a congregation of people.

"We have been in direct contact with the police, and have responded to any requests that they have made for alternative settings. We have not been made aware of any evidence to suggest that there has been an increase in crime in Haverhill between midnight and 5.30am which can be attributed to the part-night lighting."

Concerns about street lighting can be e-mailed to streetlighting@suffolk.gov.uk.

MP lashes out at Labour as benefits cap is passed

GOVERNMENT legislation to cap benefits so that they are not more than a working family earns has been welcomed by a Suffolk MP.

Matthew Hancock, MP for West Suffolk, commented on the Government's victory in passing the Welfare Reform Bill, which means benefit payments to a household on out-of-work benefits will be capped at £26,000 per year. Previously, households were able to receive up to £104,000 per year in housing benefit alone.

Mr Hancock said: "Labour

have opposed this fair cap on benefits, voting to maintain a something-for-nothing culture whereby some families who don't work get thousands of pounds more in welfare handouts than the average working family earns.

"In West Suffolk the average person would have to pay tax for 32 years to pay for one household to receive £104,000 in benefits a year, which could happen if Labour had their way.

"This benefit cap shows that Conservatives are the party of fairness, standing up for hard-working taxpayers."

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Teen who overcame her disability to be a champ



Winner: Rebecca Lawes, right, and with her impressive haul of medals, above.
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WITH a photograph album on her lap and an infectious grin on her face, Rebecca Lawes is telling me all about her recent 18th birthday party. Each photo features dozens of her friends, all clearly having an awful lot of fun: Rebecca, it seems, is a rather popular young lady.

She's also rather extraordinary. Rebecca has cerebral palsy and moderate learning difficulties; she walks with a frame and has to use a wheelchair for longer distances. Yet in spite of her disabilities, the Impington Village College student is an astoundingly talented swimmer.

Next to us on the sofa is her medals box. How many does she have? "Loads!" she says, with her trademark smile. "If I wore them all they'd be too heavy and I'd fall down."

This is no exaggeration: the box is absolutely brimming

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with medals, topped with the six golds she won at the National Disability Championships last year. Rebecca is evidently the best in her class in the country, and is likely to represent Britain at the Paralympics in Rio in 2016. Not bad for someone who only learned to swim properly six years ago.

Swimming is a huge part of Rebecca's life. Training both at school and three nights a week, she says she loves every minute of it – except getting in, that is. "It sometimes takes me ages because I go 'oh my gosh, I don't want to get in' because it's too cold!" she chuckles.

"But I feel like a proper person when I get in the water. I can move more easily, and when I swim my arms feel really strong, and that feels really nice."

That's not only the nice feeling: coming first gives Rebecca quite a buzz too. "I like winning," she smiles. "It makes me feel really



proud of myself. When they're saying 'on your marks, get set, go', I sometimes feel nervous; but when the gun goes I don't look at anyone else, I just focus." And does she always win? "Yes!" she laughs. "Well, not always, but if I don't win I don't really mind, as long as I've tried hard."

Rebecca – who lives in Cambridge with parents Elizabeth and Philip, and siblings Jonathan, 17, Charlotte, 14 and Thomas, 11 – has always enjoyed splashing around in the water. But it wasn't until Year 7,

when she was 12, that her potential was first spotted.

"When she'd been taught to swim before, they'd tried to do several strokes," explains Elizabeth. "But when she went to Impington, they had a very good special needs teacher who taught Rebecca backstroke. She took to it straight away."

And how. When she started, Rebecca could swim half a width: within five months she could swim an entire mile.

Impressed, her teacher told her parents that

Rebecca was showing real promise: "But we were probably a bit slow taking it up," admits Elizabeth.

"I don't think we realised quite what her potential was, really. We had been told that she was talented, but I think sometimes you wonder whether people are just saying that to be nice. But when we realised that actually she probably had got potential, that was quite exciting."

By Year 8, Rebecca was taking part in regional competitions – and winning them. It wasn't long before she was spotted by scouts from British Swimming, who contacted Impington to say they were interested in her. And that, admits Elizabeth, came as quite a shock too: "We were really quite surprised, actually, but really excited – and just delighted that Rebecca had found something she's really good at doing."

When Rebecca was born, there was no hint that she might have developmental issues. In fact it wasn't until her eight-month check that

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mum
Elizabeth,
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14.
Right,
Rebecca in
action in the
swimming
pool.



Elizabeth was beginning to have her suspicions.

"She was quite a floppy baby; she didn't sit upright," she recalls. "Various alarm bells started to go off. She wasn't sitting, she wasn't babbling, and she just wasn't meeting those normal milestones."

Yet a scan to see if Rebecca had any brain damage came back clear: "So there was no obvious brain damage. But it became obvious that she wasn't meeting any of the targets."

Rebecca was given a label of 'global developmental delay', but her parents weren't unduly worried. "I just took it in my stride," shrugs Elizabeth. "I think first-time mums just get on with it, really."

Rebecca was slow to talk, and didn't begin to walk until she was 2 – and even then she wasn't moving confidently. Nevertheless, she was perfectly happy at her mainstream nursery, and then at St Philip's Primary School.

"She had a good time there," recalls Elizabeth. "They were very good, very inclusive."

Was there any bullying? "Not much. I think the school were pretty hot on it; anything that happened they dealt with very quickly. And Rebecca doesn't suffer fools very gladly!"

Yet Rebecca's mobility problems are still an issue. "She tends to walk holding onto things

around the house, and she does fall over," says Elizabeth. "She walks with a walker and uses a wheelchair for longer distances. And in the water she mainly uses her arms; she doesn't use her legs very much at all."

Yet her upper body strength is impressive, and although she can now do breaststroke and front crawl as well, Rebecca truly excels at backstroke. She's officially classified as S5 – a swimmer who only uses their arms. And this, by chance, is the perfect class to be in right now.

"We spoke to someone from (swimming governing body) the ASA, and he was saying that quite a lot of the S5 swimmers are retiring after 2012, and there are not many S5 swimmers in the pipeline – Rebecca is their strongest backstroker," says Elizabeth.

And that, of course, means that she's likely to be called up for the Paralympics in Rio in four years' time.

"We hope so," says Elizabeth. "That would be very exciting."

Needless to say, Elizabeth is a very proud mum. "Really proud, and really so pleased that she's found something she's so good at."

"She's so determined, Rebecca; she's always been very determined about things, and she's very keen on the sport."

"It's really good for her health and fitness levels,

and it gets her off the sofa! And there's the social side of the swimming club as well: she loves being with other people, and the City of Cambridge Disabled Swimming Squad, who she swims with, are a really friendly bunch."

What advice would Elizabeth give to mums in a similar situation? "Take any opportunity you can to try things out, and don't underestimate their potential," she says.

"With a special needs child, you view life differently, really. Achievements don't have to be about academic success; there are lots of other ways of being fulfilled."

"Rebecca's got so much determination," she adds with a smile. "She works harder and she achieves more than many other people ever will. She's a real credit to herself."

Helping talent flourish

Rebecca was recently awarded a grant from local disability charity Papworth Trust, which will help pay for club fees, and travel and accommodation costs for competitions.

Papworth Trust is currently running a fundraising campaign to help more young local athletes achieve their goals: the £2,012 by 2012 Campaign challenges supporters to raise £2,012 by the time the Olympic Games launch on July 27. Find out more at www.papworth.org.uk/2012.

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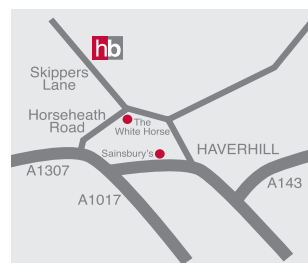
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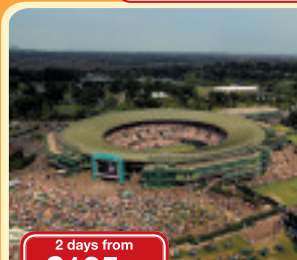
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Aiden's goal draws closer

PARENTS of a 2-year-old boy with cerebral palsy show no letting up in their bid to raise £40,000 for a life-changing operation in America.

Vicky Thompson, 31, and partner Gareth Thomas, 26, hope a spinal operation will allow Aiden, who has a form of cerebral palsy called bilateral spastic hemiplegia, to grow up together with his identical twin Owen.

Now Aiden is 2, his mum and dad are hoping he will be able to go to St Louis Children's Hospital in Missouri for a procedure which involves cutting the 'bad' nerves in the spine to enable him to walk independently.

Vicky and Gareth have already managed to raise £26,700 with the support of family, friends and local organisations.

Now they are holding a 5km buggy walk in Cambridge on Saturday.

Vicky of Sperling Drive, Haverhill, said: "It's getting harder the older the boys get

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because Aiden is more aware of what he is not able to do and what his brother can do.

"It's heartbreaking, as Aiden is such a happy little boy despite his condition.

"He will wake up in the middle of the night upset and in pain, so we have to carry out physio with him every day."

Tree of Hope Children's Charity, which supports families of sick children across the country, has offered to pay for flights to America when the family has secured the money for the operation.

A spokesman said: "We are delighted to pay in quite a modest way. The family are amazing – they will have raised £40,000 for the treatment and we are just thrilled that they are going to have this opportunity."

Anyone who wishes to take part in the buggy walk should meet at Parker's Piece



Mum's love: Vicky with Owen, left, and Aiden, who is now starting to realise his limitations.

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Visit www.aidensfootsteps.co.uk for details of fundraising events or email aidensfootsteps@hotmail.co.uk.

A shopping event to raise funds for Aiden will be held at Haverhill Arts Centre on Saturday, March 17 followed by a charity golf day at Haverhill Golf Club on March 20.



Fundraiser: Vicky receives the cheque from Jame Hall.

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CHURCH members got behind Aiden's appeal by arranging a concert.

Some 40 people attended the evening on Saturday at the Taste of China Restaurant in Birdbrook for a

fundraising concert.

The evening's entertainment was provided by local band Rinaldi Express, who performed a variety of new and old pop/rock music covers. The restaurant provided a Chinese

buffet midway through the evening, with the event rounded off with the presentation of a cheque for £500 from Haverhill Methodist Church.

Church representative Jamie Hall said: "We recently heard of Aiden's

Footsteps and decided we wanted to do something, as a church, to help." He thanked Rinaldi Express for organising the event, the restaurant for their hospitality and everyone for attending.

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Young hearts run free

Robert Icke, director of a bold production of *Romeo and Juliet*, tells Jennifer Shelton why there's always something new to discover about Shakespeare's most famous love story.

THINK you know *Romeo and Juliet*? Of course. Remember that bit about the illiterate servant and the party invitation? Ah, maybe not.

It's probably the most famous love story of all time, but Shakespeare's tale of star-cross'd lovers is so packed with action and emotion and different characters that any new version we see – on stage or on screen – is sure to throw up moments and ideas that we'd never noticed before.

"It's a play that everyone thinks they know," says Robert Icke, director of a bold new version by Headlong Theatre, which alights in Cambridge this week.

"The number of people that come out with: 'Wherefore art thou, Romeo?'... The interesting thing about that line is that it's really famous, but it's also famous for meaning something which it doesn't mean ['wherefore', of course, meaning 'why', not 'where']".

"There are quite a few things in it like that," Robert continues. "The suicide pact at the end, for example, isn't a suicide pact. The reason Romeo kills himself is because he thinks she's dead. There's never been an agreement that they're going to kill themselves. The idea is that they're going to get back together again. She's going to go



STAR CROSS'D:
Daniel Boyd and
Catrin Stewart in
Romeo and Juliet

out to Mantua, presumably."

A Cambridge University graduate, Robert is associate director at Headlong Theatre which put its own unique, contemporary stamp on *Macbeth* last year. But *Romeo and Juliet* is quite a different tragedy, Robert argues, kept aloft by a glimmer of hope which cheats us into thinking that things, somehow, could turn out all right.

"One of the things that became clear

when working on *Romeo and Juliet* was that it's not like the other tragedies. In *Macbeth*, once he kills the king he's pretty much screwed and from then you just pretty much watch it all fall apart.

"And *King Lear* makes that disastrous decision right at the start to give away his kingdom. But in this play, if Romeo were to turn up at the chapel two minutes later, it would all be fine: she'd be awake and they'd meet each other... So I got really interested

in the idea of fate and of them being 'star-cross'd' lovers.

"Right at the start of the play, for instance, Capulet gives a party invitation to a servant who can't read, and that servant then has to find someone in the street who can read, and by chance bumps into Romeo and Benvolio, who then find out about the party and decide to go – which is where Romeo meets Juliet.

"So if Capulet had given the invitations to a servant who could read, it could have all turned out quite differently.

"Shakespeare is always interested in the opposite of everything, and of course, the flip side of fate is coincidence. I don't think many of us know which we believe in. Do you believe your life is set out in front of you and you're just walking a pre-appointed path?

"So one of the things we've done in this production is consider – a bit like in *Sliding Doors* – how close are we to another scenario, and to look at the ways in which the story might be different.

"Similarly, while *Romeo and Juliet* is a play about love, it's also a play about hate. And as well as gentleness it's also about violence. I think a lot of that is Shakespeare commenting on what it's like to fall in love, that it's a little bit like being hit by a random bullet. If you think of Cupid and his arrow, you realise how violent that actually is."

Interestingly, Robert's first impression of *Romeo and Juliet* – on which he now has so much to say – as a young boy, watching it at the theatre with his dad, was underwhelming.

"I remember saying to my dad, 'Why are they all so old? Why are there 30-year-olds wandering around saying they're 14?' In our production they're very young, I think 23 and 24, and they're wonderful.

"I understand that it's a risk to do it with younger actors – obviously when you're 30

you've got 10 years of experience – but I'm delighted with our guys. – and they're two names I think we'll be hearing a lot more of."

Robert studied English at King's College, graduating in 2008, so is expecting his return to the city to stir up plenty of emotions.

"It's going to be really weird, coming back. I've got to that stage now where the only people I know here are the teachers, and it's weird seeing other students around cause when you're at uni you feel a sense of ownership over the place.

"But I directed at the Arts Theatre while I was there as well, so coming back to the Arts always feels a bit like coming home."

And it was directing a play (and not just any play) during his final term which set the wheels of his career in motion, as Robert explains: "I was working on my last production before graduating – hilariously it was actually *Romeo and Juliet* – and some agents from London came to see it, which never happens. I'd written so many letters and nobody could ever come, then suddenly for *Romeo and Juliet* they all decided to come."

Coincidence – or fate, perhaps?

"Exactly! So I was offered a new play by Alistair Bain which had funding and dates and started in the October after I graduated. So I really landed on my feet – I feel really lucky. This time, Robert's hoping a few of his former lecturers might pop along to see the show: "They're good people to get responses from. As long as they don't start saying, 'why did you cut that bit?' or 'you've got that bit wrong!' because there are a few bold moves.

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FOLLOWING last year's success with their production of *Romeo and Juliet*, Stoke College return with their second performance of *A Dream*, an evening of song, live music and dance in this 1970s adaptation of *A Midsummer Night's Dream* tonight at 7pm. It is the eve of her daughter's wedding and Hermia decides to retell her Glastonbury adventure – a thoroughly heart-warming hippy tale. *The Dolly Parton Story*, a tribute to one of the greatest icons of popular music, takes place on Sunday at 7.30pm. The stunning vocals of Andrea Pattison are backed by an all-live four-piece band, The Partoners. Twenty-one hit records in every territory including America is endorsement enough of the superb talent of The Tremeloos. Come along on Thursday March 15 at 8pm to hear such classics as *Silence Is Golden*, *Suddenly You Love Me* and *Even The Bad Times Are Good*. We have a brand new one-woman show on Friday March 16 at 8pm starring *Casualty*'s Rebecca Wheatley, *Big Pants* and *Botox* by Louise Roche (*Girls' Night*). Barbara has just survived a 'significant' birthday, which has got her thinking about many things. Come and join her as she takes us on a hilarious, emotional and ultimately uplifting journey. If you have to empty your bladder before joining the kids on the trampoline, and it's a few years since you've had an uninterrupted view of your feet, then you'll be amused, delighted and even comforted by this new play. For ages 12-plus.

■ For tickets and show details, contact the box office on 01440 714140 or go to www.haverhillartscentre.co.uk

LOVE STORY: The Alchemystorium is at The Robinson Theatre tomorrow.



Cut out the small talk

AN unusual piece of theatre makes its first Cambridge appearance this week.

Produced by Gomito

Productions, *The Alchemystorium* is a story of romance and magic, told through movement, puppetry, music and sounds – but no words whatsoever.

"*The Alchemystorium* is at heart a very simple love story," says director and designer Amelia Bird. "Because we were looking at the emotion of love, we wanted to find a way of sharing that emotion with the audience."

"I think that often when people are listening to a lot of words we're more likely to take them in with our brains and consider them intellectually – whereas we wanted to experiment with taking away words and using visual performance, design, music and light to convey simple emotions rather than

clever thoughts.

"That probably all sounds a bit pretentious, but what it really means is that without words everything has to be very clear to tell the story and we've used a lot of techniques which we've picked up through making shows for children."

"The characters are non-naturalistic and larger than life, almost cartoony. There's music as a soundtrack throughout and a lot of silly, universal comedy like slapstick and rough, theatrical magic tricks."

"The play is set in a coffee shop and the performers really serve coffee to the audience which makes it easy to present everything in a very big way, then when we want to be more subtle with the emotion a delicate little scene makes a big contrast."

"It was a big challenge working without words, but it also forced us to get directly to the heart of the story and we're very happy with how it's turned out."

Sam Worboys, one of the actors in the show, added: "As a performer I generally

enjoy the physical bits of acting most, it's so satisfying to create a really slick sequence or to perfect a physical gag. Gomito shows always have plenty of opportunity for both of those things so *The Alchemystorium* wasn't too big a leap in style. What was slightly tricky to start with was working on what noises our characters could make to accompany their gestures; when sounds were helpful for conveying things to the audience; and when they became too much."

"Once all the choreography was in place and we'd worked on some clowning exercises that all became easier. We realised that we all make plenty of gestural noises in day to day life (noises of surprise, or thinking or trying to get someone's attention) so we tried to work with keeping sounds genuine and only using them when it felt natural."

■ *The Alchemystorium*, The Robinson Theatre, Hills Road Sixth Form College, tomorrow at 7.30pm. Tickets are £10 (£8 concessions) and bookings through the college bursary: (01223) 278049.

Bang the drum for street art

WE'VE all heard of them – you know, they're the guys who play music with bin lids and brooms – but now we in Cambridge are getting the chance to witness for ourselves the global sensation that is *Stomp*.

Established in Brighton in 1991, *Stomp* was the result of a 10-year collaboration between creators Steve McNicholas and Luke Cresswell. They began as street artists, performing at the Edinburgh Festival before touring their unique new act across Europe (they'd turned heads earlier in 1986 when asked to appear in an advert for Heineken, which became the starting point for their famous 'dustbin dance', which provides the climax to their live stage show).

The theatre show premiered in Edinburgh and went on to scoop a handful of awards, nominations and accolades in its early years, wowing critics with its dynamism and ingenuity.

Stomp is now a multimedia feast of rhythm, sound and dance, created by foot-stomping, brush-shuffling and plenty of gutsy thrashing and clapping, interspersed with light-footed, balletic movements to conjure up fight sequences.

You'll never look at an oil drum in the same way again.

■ *Stomp*, Cambridge Corn Exchange, March 13 to 17. For full times and prices, contact (01223) 357851 / www.cornex.co.uk.

Cinema listings

All times are PM unless otherwise stated. Times from Fri, Mar 9 – Thur, Mar 15.

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John Carter 3D (12A): Fri 5.15, 8.15 Sat-Sun 11.15am, 2.15, 5.15, 8.15 Mon-Thu 5.15, 8.15
John Carter (12A): Fri 3.15, 6 Sat-Sun 12.15, 3.15, 6 Mon-Thu 3.15, 6
This Means War (12A): Fri-Thu 3.30 (subtitles Tues), 6, 8.30pm
Project X (18): Fri-Thu 8.50
The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (12A): Fri 2.55, 5.30, 8.10 Sat-Sun 12.10, 2.55, 5.30, 8.10 Mon-Thu 2.55, 5.30, 8.10
The Muppets (U): Sat-Sun 10.40am, 1.10 (subtitles Sun)
The Woman in Black (12A): Fri 4, 6.10, 8.20 Sat 1.50, 4, 6.10, 8.20 Mon-Thu 1.30am, 1.50, 4, 6.10, 8.20 Mon-Thu 4, 6.10, 8.20
Kung Fu Panda 2 (PG): Sat 10am
Happy Feet Two (U): Sat 10.10am

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The Help (12A): Fri 7.45
Patience (After Sebald) (12A): Mon 7.15
J. Edgar (15): Tues 7.45

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Rango (PG): Sat-Sun 10am
Puss in Boots 3D (U): Sat-Sun 10.15am
John Carter 3D (12A): Fri 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.20, 11.30 Sat-Sun 12.20, 3.20, 6.20, 9.20 Mon-Thu 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.30 Wed 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.30, 11.30 Thu 11.30am, 2.30, 5.30, 8.30
Bel Ami (15): Fri-Thu 1.25, 3.50, 6.20, 8.50
The Raven (15): Fri 11.20am, 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30, midnight Sat 9.10am, 11.30am, 2,

4.30, 7, 9.30, midnight Sun 9.10am, 11.30am, 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30 Mon-Tues 11.20am, 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30 Wed 11.20am, 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30, midnight Thu 11.20am, 2, 4.30, 7, 9.30
This Means War (12A): Fri 12noon, 2.20, 4.40, 7.10, 9.35 Sat-Sun 9.40am, 12noon, 2.20, 4.40, 7.10, 9.35 Mon-Thu 12noon, 2.20, 4.40, 7.10, 9.35
The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (12A): Fri-Sat 12.15, 3, 5.50, 8.40, 11.30 Sun-Tues 12.15, 3, 5.50, 8.40 Wed 12.15, 3, 5.50, 8.40, 11.30 Thu 12.15, 3, 5.50, 8.40
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Journey 2 – The Mysterious Island 2D (PG): Fri 11.10am Sat-Sun 9am, 11.10am Mon-Thu 11.10am
The Descendants (15): Fri-Sat 9, 11.35 Sun-Tues 9 Wed 9, 11.35 Thu 9
Star Wars Episode 1: The Phantom Menace 3D (U): Sat-Sun 9.30am
Alvin And The Chipmunks – Chipwrecked (U): Sat-Sun 10.20am
Project X (18): Fri-Sat 11.15 Wed 11.15 Wanderlust (15): Fri-Sat 11 Wed 11
The Vow (12A): Fri-Sat 11.50 Wed 11.50
SUBTITLED PERFORMANCES:
The Muppets (U): Sun 12.50 Tues 6.30

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John Carter 3D (12A): Fri 2.15, 5.15,

The big film

JOHN CARTER 3D Certificate 12A, 137m

INTENDED as the first instalment of an action-packed trilogy, *John Carter* is a battle beyond the stars based on a novel by Edgar Rice Burroughs.

Oscar-winning director Andrew Stanton's sprawling epic is a miasma of digital effects which attempt to emulate *Avatar* by immersing us in an eye-popping alien world.

Young Edgar Rice Burroughs (Daryl Sabara) is summoned to the home of his beloved uncle and former Confederate soldier John Carter (Taylor Kitsch), who has perished in mysterious circumstances.

Leaving through Carter's cherished journal, Burroughs learns that his uncle sought sanctuary from Apaches in a cave from where he magically transported to Mars where he is captured by the Tharks, a savage race of 15ft tall green warriors with tusks protruding from their mouths.

Tars Tarkas (Willem Dafoe) and his plucky daughter Sola (Samantha Morton) attempt to protect Carter from power-hungry rivals Tal Hajus (Thomas Haden Church) and Sarkoja (Polly Walker).

Meanwhile, Matai Shang (Mark



Strong), the leader of the Holy Therns, took charge of the planet's destiny by orchestrating the marriage of Prince Sab Than (Dominic West) of Zondanga and Princess Dejah Thoris (Lynn Collins) of the besieged city of Helium.

The princess protests at the arranged nuptials, despite the pleadings of her father (Ciaran Hinds) and when Dejah captured a glimpse of Carter's rippling chest, her rebellion intensifies.

Opening with a computer-generated aerial battle in one of the sandstorms that rage across the

surface of Mars, *John Carter* is a soulless spectacle with the technical wizardry overwhelming one or two flickers of emotion.

Kitsch is devoid of charisma as the eponymous time-travelling soldier, who tips the balance of power in favour of the pacifist good guys by scything through hordes of computer-generated beasts.

A convoluted race-against-time finale neatly tees up a second film in the series, but unless *John Carter* magically strikes box office gold it's doubtful that his adventures will go any further than the closing credits.

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Wanderlust (15): Fri-Thu 6.35 (subtitles Mon)
Project X (18): Fri-Sat 9.10am, 11.10 Sun 9.10am

Safe House (15): Fri 1.05, 3.35, 6.10, 8.40, 11.05 Sat 3.35, 6.10, 8.40 Mon-Thu 1.05, 3.35, 6.10, 8.40
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Sun), 4.05 Mon-Thu 1.35, 4.05
The Woman in Black (12A): Fri-Thu 2.25, 4.30 (subtitles Sun), 6.50, 9.25
Journey 2: The Mysterious Island (3D) (PG): Sat-Sun 11.15am, 1.30
Alvin And The Chipmunks: Chipwrecked (U): Sat-Sun 10.25am, 12.30
Kung Fu Panda 2 (PG): Sat 10.20am
Happy Feet Two (U): Sat 10.10am
Mr Popper's Penguins (PG): Sat 10am

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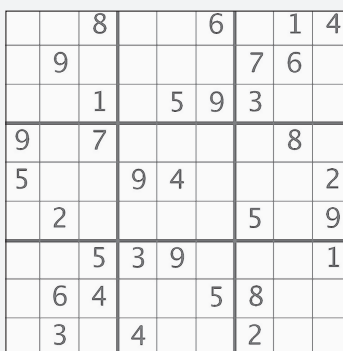
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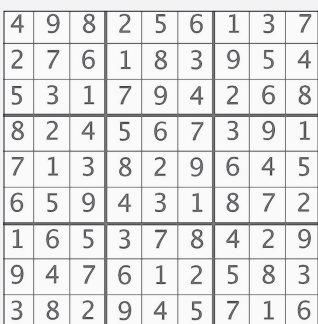
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The Woman in Black (12A): Fri-Thu 12noon, 2.20, 4.40, 7, 9.20
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Sudoku

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■ Last week's solution



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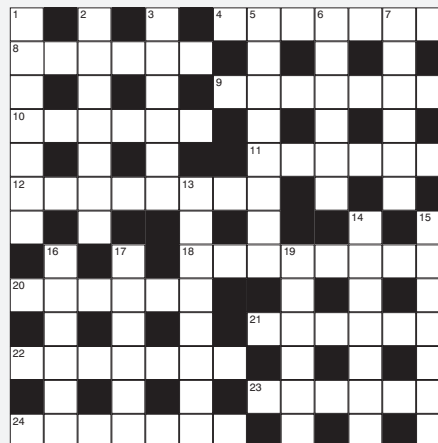
Cryptic clues

Across

4. Particular one found in the wrong places (7)
 8. Race track at the airport (6)
 9. Doesn't stop me getting involved with various trips (7)
 10. It's a kind of wall, so the guinea-pig goes round it (6)
 11. Treated violently - stopped work (6)
 12. It's no sunny apartment where positive developments take place (4-4)
 18. Working garment to fasten in front (8)
 20. What the lady wears for the Spanish dance (6)
 21. Sounds like a piece of plaited embroidery to fray (6)
 22. The money that is required for the club (7)
 23. Answer a distress call by a vessel before it's wrecked (6)
 24. Pretended to strike, causing Edward to get an outrageous fine first (7)

Down

1. Maybe debar holding the company up for material (7)
 2. Roguish behaviour by Jack



Quick clues

Across

4. Deem (7)
 8. Observe (6)
 9. Scurry (7)
 10. Hawker (6)
 11. Cushioned (6)
 12. Surly (8)
 18. Mocking (8)
 20. Jinx (6)
 21. Strain (6)
 22. Difficulty (7)
 23. Charm (6)
 24. Barbarity (7)

Down

1. Examine (7)
 2. Sports ground (7)
 3. Scribble (6)
 5. Decode (8)
 6. Messy (6)
 7. Throat (6)
 13. Idle (8)
 14. Disregard (7)
 15. Characteristic (9)
 16. Terror (6)
 17. Eatable (6)
 19. Child (6)

Last week's solution – Cryptic clues across: 1 Penultimate; 9 Oil; 10 Spinnaker; 11 Squat; 13 Legends; 14 Deeked; 16 Breton; 18 Riviera; 19 Asset; 20 Turn about; 21 Jam; 22 Adolescents. **Down:** 2 Ell; 3 Upset; 4 Trifle; 5 Manager; 6 Take notes; 7 Considerate; 8 Present time; 12 Uncovered; 15 Eyeball; 17 Batons; 19 At the; 21 Jet. **Quick clues across:** 1 Malefactor; 9 Yet; 10 Dismantle; 11 Paper; 13 Run-down; 14 Oboist; 16 Detain; 18 Air-base; 19 Quell; 20 Immediate; 21 Ass; 22 Recriminate. **Down:** 2 Act; 3 Elder; 4 Assure; 5 Trainee; 6 Rationale; 7 Symptomatic; 8 Meaningless; 12 Programme; 15 Slander; 17 Becalm; 19 Queen; 21 Ant.

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Spring surprise for mothers

NOW is a perfect time to blow away the cobwebs and venture outdoors – so any Mother's Day presents with an emphasis on the garden will be welcomed by green-fingered enthusiasts.

It doesn't just have to be about gardening chores. Your mum might fancy an inspirational day out for the whole family. With this in mind, a Royal Horticultural Society gift membership may be just the ticket.

RHS gift membership gives the recipient a year of free garden visits to share, *The Garden* magazine monthly, discounted garden show tickets and priority bookings and one-to-one gardening advice from RHS experts. The membership comes wrapped up and ready to give away, so she'll have something to open on the day. (£51, phone 0845 130 4646 or visit www.rhs.org.uk)

Of course there's a plethora of more practical gardening gifts, such as sturdy and stylish stainless steel tools including fork and trowel, from Wilkinson Sword. Guaranteed for 10 years, they have weatherproof ash handles and polished stainless



by Hannah Stephenson

steel tool heads, while each has a handy leather strap for easy storage (£10.99 each, for more information visit www.wilkinson-sword-tools.co.uk or phone 0845 894 1599).

If your mum likes her blades sharp, secateurs, axes and even kitchen knives which have gone blunt may benefit from Fiskars Xsharp axe and knife sharpener, which can be brought inside for sharpening blades in the home as well as used for garden tools. (£13.99, from B&Q, Homebase and many good garden centres and hardware stores).

However, if she loves a bit of romance, invest in the 2012 Rose of the Year from Mattocks, called Rosa Moment in Time (Korcastrav), named to commemorate both the Queen's Diamond Jubilee and the 2012 Olympics. The plant, which features dark green glossy leaves, repeat flowers to produce intense ruby red flowers

throughout summer.

Performing best in full sun or part shade and fertile, well drained soil, it will reach an eventual height and spread of 60x40cm (£13.99 per five litre pot. For stockist information, visit www.mattocks.co.uk).

Keeping roses and other blooms in mind, footwear has now jumped on the bandwagon to offer a range of garden-orientated outdoor shoes in flower prints. Among the best are the selection of flower-print and veg-print shoes made of plastic which won't crack or perish, to simply leave by the back door in case you decide to venture out, priced £18 from www.backdoorshoes.co.uk.

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If your mum has tired of hanging baskets and wants an alternative way to brighten up outside walls, there is plenty of wall art on the market. Brighten up house walls with some glass bead candle wall art from Gardman (£24.99, www.gardman.co.uk). For stockists phone

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Garden sculpture and eye-catching ornamental pots are ever popular to create a focal point in the garden or add some wow factor to a patio.

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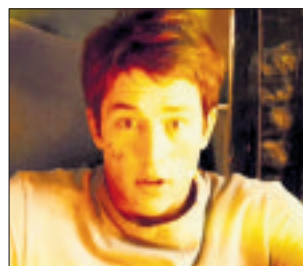
BBC1	BBC2	ITV	CHANNEL 4	CHANNEL 5
<p>6.00 Breakfast.</p> <p>10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live. With Adventurer Bear Grylls.</p> <p>11.35 Rachel Allen: Home Cooking. Highlights. Last in the series.</p> <p>12.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.</p> <p>12.15 Football Focus.</p> <p>1.00 Swimming. The British Swimming Championships.</p> <p>2.00 Live Six Nations Rugby Union. Wales v Italy (Kick-off 2.30pm).</p> <p>4.30 Live Six Nations Rugby Union. Ireland v Scotland (Kick-off 5.00pm).</p> <p>6.55 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.</p> <p>7.10 Let's Dance for Sport Relief. The line-up comprises presenter Rowland Lirvon, Gadget Show duo Suzi Perry and Oris Deley, comedienne Watson and Oliver, funnyman Patrick Monahan, and former athlete Fatima Whitbread teaming up with entertainment sensations the Cuban Brothers. Music is provided by Will Young and LMFAO.</p> <p>8.30 The National Lottery: In It to Win It. New series.</p> <p>9.20 Casualty. Part two of three.</p> <p>10.10 BBC News; Weather.</p> <p>10.30 Match of the Day. Highlights of today's Premier League clashes, including Bolton Wanderers v Queens Park Rangers and Sunderland v Liverpool; (C) National Lottery Update.</p> <p>11.40 The Football League Show.</p> <p>12.55 Weatherview.</p>	<p>6.00 CBeebies: Little Robots. 6.10 Lunar Jim. 6.20 Garth and Bev. 6.35 Octonauts. 6.45 Pinky Dinky Doo. 7.00 CBBC: Richard Hammond's Blast Lab. 7.40 The Scooby-Doo Show. 8.05 Pixelface. 8.35 Frank Patrol Down Under. 9.00 Ultimate Sports Day. 9.30 Helen's Polar Challenge for Sport Relief. 10.00 My Life. 10.30 Trapped. 11.00 Hacker Time. 11.25 Ooglies. 11.40 MOTD Kickabout.</p> <p>12.00 The Sky at Night.</p> <p>12.40 FILM: In Search of the Castaways (1962). Children's adventure.</p> <p>2.15 FILM: The War Bride (2001). War-time drama.</p> <p>4.00 Escape to the Country.</p> <p>4.30 Final Score.</p> <p>5.30 Flog It!</p> <p>6.30 Dad's Army.</p> <p>7.00 The Story of Light Entertainment.</p> <p>8.00 The Story of Musicals. Popular culture's influence on British musical theatre since the 1990s, from Jason Donovan's West End debut as Joseph to "jukebox musicals" such as Mamma Mia! Last in the series.</p> <p>9.00 I'm a Pop Star!</p> <p>10.00 TOTP2: Pop Stars.</p> <p>11.00 The Sarah Millican Television Programme.</p> <p>11.30 FILM: The Stepford Wives (2004). Black comedy remake, with Nicole Kidman.</p> <p>FILM: Spider (2002).</p>	<p>6.00 CITV: Mini CITV. 7.25 CITV. 9.25 ITV News.</p> <p>9.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA.</p> <p>10.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA.</p> <p>11.20 This Morning: Saturday. Featuring interviews with Andrew Lancel and Goldie Hawn.</p> <p>12.30 Murder, She Wrote.</p> <p>1.30 ITV News and Weather.</p> <p>1.40 FILM: Innerspace (1987). A test pilot miniaturised for a scientific experiment is accidentally injected into the body of a hypochondriac. Sci-fi comedy, starring Dennis Quaid.</p> <p>3.55 FILM: Evan Almighty (2007). Comedy sequel to Bruce Almighty, starring Steve Carell.</p> <p>5.35 Anglia News and Weather.</p> <p>5.45 ITV News and Weather.</p> <p>6.00 All Star Family Fortunes.</p> <p>7.00 All New You've Been Framed!</p> <p>7.30 Harry Hill's TV Burp.</p> <p>8.00 Take Me Out. A Team GB athlete, a farmer and a rock musician enter the "love lift" in the hope of impressing 30 single women.</p> <p>9.00 The Jonathan Ross Show. Kiefer Sutherland discusses following up real-time series 24 with new Sky1 drama Touch.</p> <p>10.10 ITV News and Weather.</p> <p>10.15 FILM: The Fast and the Furious: Tokyo Drift (2006). An American teenager living in Japan gets involved in illegal street racing. Action adventure, starring Lucas Black.</p> <p>12.05 The Zone. Interactive gaming; ITV News Headlines.</p>	<p>6.05 Sali Mali.</p> <p>6.10 The Hoobs.</p> <p>6.35 The Grid.</p> <p>7.00 Live Athletics. The World Indoor Championships.</p> <p>8.00 The Morning Line.</p> <p>9.00 Live Athletics.</p> <p>10.30 T4: New Girl. 11.00 Charlie's Angels. 11.55 The Big Bang Theory. 12.25 The Big Bang Theory. 12.50 The Simpsons. 1.25 The Simpsons.</p> <p>1.55 Channel 4 Racing. Live coverage from Sandown Park and Wolverhampton.</p> <p>4.05 Channel 4 News.</p> <p>4.25 4thought.tv. (T)</p> <p>4.30 Come Dine with Me. From Peterborough. Also 5, 5.35, 6 and 6.35.</p> <p>7.05 Come Date with Me. The romantic Come Dine with Me spin-off returns as bachelors Steve Greensted, Frankie Borrell, Adam Elabdaly and Sam Kirby compete for the affections of 26-year-old Elle Bretagne.</p> <p>8.00 Big Fat Gypsy Weddings. Travellers who have found romance outside their own community.</p> <p>9.00 The Bank Job.</p> <p>10.30 FILM: Orphan (2009). A couple adopt a nine-year-old Russian girl but the wife begins to suspect the child may be dangerously disturbed. Horror, with Vera Farmiga.</p> <p>12.45 The Secret Policeman's Ball 2012.</p>	<p>6.00 Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. 6.05 Fifi and the Flowerpots. 6.15 City of Friends. 6.30 Harry and His Bucket Full of Dinosaurs. 6.40 Castle Farm. 6.45 Igam Ogam. 6.55 Roobarb and Custard Too. 7.05 Bananas in Pyjamas. 7.20 Family! 7.25 Make Way for Noddy. 7.40 Mio Mao. 7.45 Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. 7.55 Little Princess. 8.10 The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. 8.30 Angelina Ballerina. 8.45 Rupert Bear. 9.00 Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. 9.15 The Mr Men Show. 9.30 Roary the Racing Car. 9.40 Mist: Sheepdog Tales. 10.00 Animal Rescue Squad. 10.20 Police Interceptors. 11.20 Eddie Stobart: Trucks and Trailers.</p> <p>12.25 FILM: Madron (1970).</p> <p>2.15 FILM: Blood Alley (1955). Action adventure, starring John Wayne.</p> <p>4.30 FILM: The Green Berets (1968). Vietnam War adventure, starring John Wayne.</p> <p>7.15 5 News Weekend.</p> <p>7.20 NCIS. Also 8.15.</p> <p>9.15 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. One of Langston's former students is found dead.</p> <p>10.10 CSI: NY. A party ends in tragedy when the hostess is killed in what appears to be an accident, and Danville takes on the case of a serial rapist who previously eluded her.</p> <p>11.10 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit.</p> <p>12.05 SuperCasino.</p>



Top Gear
BBC2, Sunday, 8pm.



The Jonathan Ross Show
ITV1, Saturday, 9pm.



The Final Destination
Channel 4, Sunday, 10pm.



Layer Cake
Channel 5, Sunday, 9pm.

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BBC1	BBC2	ITV	CHANNEL 4	CHANNEL 5
<p>6.00 Breakfast.</p> <p>7.45 Match of the Day.</p> <p>9.00 The Andrew Marr Show.</p> <p>10.00 The Big Questions.</p> <p>11.00 Sunday Politics (C) Weather for the Week Ahead.</p> <p>12.05 Match of the Day Live. Middlesbrough v Leeds United (Kick-off 12.15pm).</p> <p>2.30 Live Six Nations Rugby Union. France v England (Kick-off 3.00pm).</p> <p>5.10 Songs of Praise.</p> <p>5.45 Land Girls. Ellen receives a tempting offer.</p> <p>6.35 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.</p> <p>7.00 Countryfile. Includes Weather for the Week Ahead.</p> <p>8.00 Antiques Roadshow.</p> <p>9.00 Upstairs Downstairs. Spargo signs up for a boxing tournament to impress Beryl, only to be told he is too old for the ring, so he recruits Johnny as his protegee. However, he ends up teaching his friend fighting skills of a different kind when he receives his call-up papers. Hallam becomes distracted by his desire for another woman – and makes a dangerous decision that will change his life for ever.</p> <p>10.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.</p> <p>10.25 Room 101 – Extra Storage.</p> <p>11.05 Would I Lie to You?</p> <p>11.35 The Celebrity Apprentice USA.</p> <p>1.40 Weatherview.</p> <p>1.45 Sign Zone: Film 2012</p>	<p>6.00 CBeebies: Little Robots. 6.10 Lunar Jim. 6.20 Garth and Bev. 6.35 Octonauts. 6.45 Pinky Dinky Doo. 7.00 CBBC: Richard Hammond's Blast Lab. 7.30 Dennis and Gnasher. 7.40 The Scooby-Doo Show. (C) The Owl. 8.05 Paradise Cafe. 8.30 Winging It! (C) Deadly 60 Bites. 9.00 Friday Download. 10.00 Shaun the Sheep.</p> <p>10.05 Flog It!</p> <p>11.05 Escape to the Country.</p> <p>12.05 EastEnders. Omnibus.</p> <p>2.00 FILM: The Mosquito Coast (1986). Drama, starring Harrison Ford.</p> <p>3.50 FILM: First Knight (1995). Arthurian adventure.</p> <p>6.00 I'm a Pop Star! The third documentary focuses on life as a solo singer. Last in the series.</p> <p>7.00 World's Most Dangerous Roads. Ben Fogle and Hugh Dennis undertake a perilous journey through the Peruvian Andes.</p> <p>8.00 Top Gear.</p> <p>9.00 Orbit: Earth's Extraordinary Journey.</p> <p>10.00 Match of the Day 2. Colin Murray reviews the day's Premier League action.</p> <p>11.10 Rugby Union: Six Nations highlights.</p> <p>11.55 FILM: A Boy Called Dad (2009). Premiere. Drama, starring Ian Hart and Kyle Ward.</p> <p>1.15 FILM: The Wackness (2008). Comedy drama, starring Ben Kingsley.</p>	<p>6.00 CITV: Mini CITV. 7.25 CITV. 9.25 ITV News.</p> <p>9.30 Ade in Britain.</p> <p>10.30 May the Best House Win.</p> <p>11.30 Dickinson's Real Deal.</p> <p>12.30 ITV News and Weather.</p> <p>12.40 Murder, She Wrote.</p> <p>1.45 FILM: Columbo Goes to College (1991).</p> <p>3.40 Midsummer Murders. When a teacher is killed in a hit-and-run, Barnaby suspects the intended target was a Midsummer University science fellow.</p> <p>5.40 Anglia News and Weather.</p> <p>5.55 ITV News and Weather.</p> <p>6.10 You've Been Framed!</p> <p>6.40 Harry Hill's TV Burp.</p> <p>7.15 Dancing on Ice. Last week Coronation Street star Andy Whymant was voted off the show following a skate-off against Chemistry Alcott. Now, the five remaining celebrities incorporate props into their routines as they battle for places in next week's semi-final. The results can be seen at 9.30pm.</p> <p>8.30 Wild at Heart.</p> <p>9.30 Dancing on Ice: The Skate Off.</p> <p>10.05 ITV News and Weather; Local Weather.</p> <p>10.20 Whitechapel. Part two of two. Miles and Chandler struggle to put aside their differences.</p> <p>11.15 Anglo-Welsh Cup Rugby Union. Highlights of the semi-finals cup competition.</p> <p>12.10 The Zone; ITV News Headlines.</p>	<p>6.25 The Hoobs. 6.50 The Hoobs.</p> <p>7.20 That Paralympic Show.</p> <p>7.45 Sailing: America's Cup Uncovered.</p> <p>8.10 T4: The Crush. 8.45 Everybody Loves Raymond. 9.20 Frasier. 9.55 The Big Bang Theory. 10.25 The Big Bang Theory. 10.55 The Simpsons.</p> <p>11.30 T4: Channel 4 Presents – 2012: David Clarke – Part Two.</p> <p>11.35 Live Athletics. The World Indoor Championships.</p> <p>4.00 The Simpsons.</p> <p>4.30 Deal or No Deal.</p> <p>5.30 Come Dine with Me. Four amateur cooks from Cardiff compete.</p> <p>6.30 Channel 4 News.</p> <p>7.00 4thought.tv.</p> <p>7.05 Home of the Future. The Pererars try a selection of health-related gadgets, including post-workout suits that aim to reduce fatigue. Last in the series.</p> <p>8.00 Searching for Shakespeare's House: A Time Team Special. Homeland.</p> <p>10.00 FILM: The Final Destination (2009). Horror sequel, starring Bobby Campo and Shantel VanSanten.</p> <p>11.40 FILM: Wolf (1994). An ageing publisher feels more aggressive and confident after being bitten by a wolf, but is also turning into a monster. Romantic horror, with Jack Nicholson and Michelle Pfeiffer.</p> <p>2.00 The Big Bang Theory.</p>	<p>6.00 Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. 6.05 Roary the Racing Car. 6.15 Fifi and the Flowerpots. 6.25 City of Friends. 6.35 Harry and His Bucket Full of Dinosaurs. 6.50 Castle Farm. 6.55 Igam Ogam. 7.05 Roobarb and Custard Too. 7.15 Bananas in Pyjamas. 7.25 Family! 7.35 Make Way for Noddy. 7.40 Mio Mao. 7.50 Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. 8.00 Little Princess. 8.15 The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. 8.30 Angelina Ballerina. 8.45 Rupert Bear. 9.00 Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. 9.10 The Mr Men Show. 9.25 Roary the Racing Car. 9.40 Mist: Sheepdog Tales. 10.00 Grey's Anatomy. 10.55 Starstruck: The Inside Story. 11.55 Cowboy Builders.</p> <p>12.55 FILM: Sabrina the Teenage Witch (1996). Supernatural comedy.</p> <p>2.45 FILM: Cheaper By the Dozen (2003). Family comedy remake.</p> <p>4.35 FILM: Are We There Yet? (2005). Family comedy.</p> <p>6.20 FILM: Men in Black II (2002). Sci-fi comedy sequel, starring Will Smith.</p> <p>8.00 Big Body Squad.</p> <p>8.55 5 News.</p> <p>9.00 FILM: Layer Cake (2004). Crime thriller, with Daniel Craig. Includes 5 News Update.</p> <p>11.10 FILM: The Boys from Brazil (1978). Thriller, starring Laurence Olivier.</p> <p>1.35 SuperCasino.</p>

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- Offers in excess of £190,000 invited
- Three-bedroom home
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- Garden and garage

Spacious family home with no upward chain



THIS spacious home in Rowell Close, Haverhill, is on the market with no upward chain.

It occupies a popular location in the Boyton Hall development.

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Kedington £140,000
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Tilbury Juxta Clare £250,000

Extended 3 bedroom cottage with lounge & separate dining room, conservatory, first floor bathroom all situated on a plot measuring approximately 0.27 Acres (STS).

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Foxearth £229,950

3 Bedroom semi detached house, located in the sought after village of Foxearth. The property benefits from lounge, kitchen, separate dining room, parking for 2/3 cars, & a 250ft rear garden.

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This link terrace property located on the Hanchett development benefits from lounge & conservatory, fitted kitchen, 3 bedrooms, master bedroom with ensuite, gardens, garage & parking.

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Haverhill £154,995

3 Bedroom property comprising of lounge with a large conservatory, modern fitted kitchen, 3 bedrooms, family bathroom & separate shower room as well as a good sized rear garden.

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Ashen OIEO £850,000

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Steeple Bumpstead £380,000

Character property set in approx 0.5 acres & comprises of lounge, dining room, kitchen, conservatory, breakfast room, study, family bathroom, ensuite to master, double garage & other outbuildings.

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Stoke By Clare £159,995

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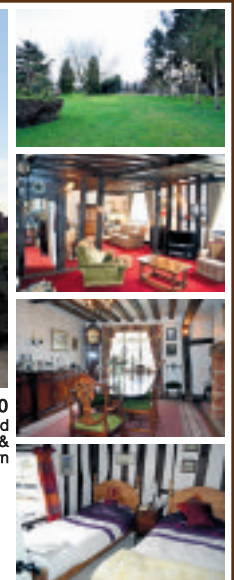
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Haverhill £164,995
This well presented property benefits from lounge diner, kitchen, ground floor WC, 3 bedrooms, master bedroom with ensuite, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, parking & garage.

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Kedington Guide Price £400,000
•GUIDE PRICE £400,000 - £425,000• Detached 4 bedroom house comprising 4 reception rooms, kitchen/breakfast room, 2 bathrooms, utility & cellar. Parking to the side & at the rear is a good size garden.

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Little Wratting £134,995
Presented in high decorative order & comprising of lounge with log burner, modern fitted kitchen/diner, play room, 2 bedrooms, modern fitted upstairs bathroom & rear garden in excess of 45ft.

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Haverhill £176,500
A good size 3 bedroom detached home benefits from fitted kitchen, lounge & separate dining room, conservatory, master bedroom with ensuite, family bathroom, garage & driveway, front & rear gardens.

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Sturmer £250,000
Good sized family home comprising of lounge with open fireplace, conservatory, good size kitchen diner, utility room, ground floor WC, 4 bedrooms, master bedroom with ensuite & extended double garage.

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Clare OIEO £180,000
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Haverhill OIEO £125,000
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Belchamp St Paul £220,000 Guide Price
Detached 3 bedroom chalet bungalow in the quiet village of Belchamp St Paul. With good size living accommodation, 100ft rear garden & unrestricted views across the countryside at the front.

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Haverhill £209,995
This good size family home comprises of lounge, dining room, conservatory, recently fitted kitchen, utility, 4 good sized bedrooms, master bedroom with ensuite, rear garden, garage & driveway.

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Ovington Guide Price £390,000
•GUIDE PRICE £390,000-£425,000• 4 bedroom detached property in a beautiful setting. Refitted kitchen with utility, lounge, dining room, study, ensuite to master bedroom and set in a 1/3 Acre plot.

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Haverhill £209,995
4 bedroom family home set in a cul de sac comprising of lounge, dining room, extended fitted modern kitchen, ground floor shower room, family bathroom, good size rear garden, garage & driveway.

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Cavendish OIRO £350,000
4 Bedroom home in this private close offering flexible living accommodation, double garage & a rear garden in excess of 100ft. In need of some modernisation & scope to extend. NO ONWARD CHAIN.

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Haverhill £119,995
Character property, benefitting from 2 bedrooms, lounge with open fireplace, dining area, modern fitted kitchen & utility, ground floor WC & shower room, front & rear gardens, parking & garage.

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Clare Guide Price £140,000 - 160,000
•Guide Price £140,000-£160,000• 2 Bedroom semi detached bungalow. Benefitting from lounge/diner, kitchen, conservatory, low maintenance garden, side & rear access with residential parking.

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Haverhill OIEO £220,000
This beautifully presented townhouse benefits from a good size modern fitted kitchen breakfast room, lounge & separate dining room, 3 bedrooms & ensuite bathroom to master bedroom.

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Haverhill £166,500 OIEO
Presented in good decorative order comprising of lounge, kitchen breakfast room, ground floor WC, 3 bedrooms, master bedroom with ensuite, recently fitted bathroom, landscaped rear garden, parking & garage. This property has also had the windows & front door replaced in the last 2 years.

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Stradishall £134,995
3 Bedroom semi detached house comprising of lounge, kitchen dining room, ground floor WC, 3 bedrooms, 1 with ensuite. The property also benefits from front & rear gardens & integral garage.

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Haverhill £189,995
Great size 3 bedroom family home situated in a cul de sac location comprising of good size lounge, conservatory, kitchen, ground floor WC, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, garage & driveway.

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Belchamp Otten £250,000
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Kedington Guide Price £320,000
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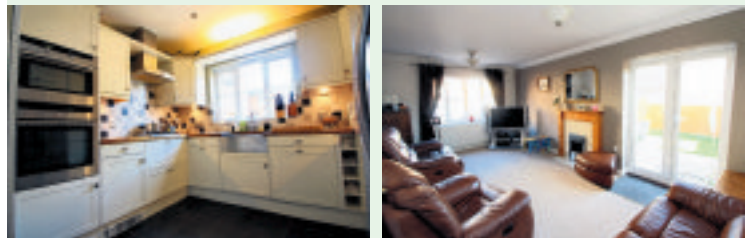
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An attractive, extended three bedroom Victorian family house located on the popular Watting Road with spacious and open living area and 120' garden.,



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A well presented two bedroom semi-detached bungalow, benefitting from the addition of a conservatory. The property has been redecorated throughout and also has the advantage of a single garage. 57 sq.m. (613 sq.ft.) net.



Haverhill

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An extremely spacious bay-fronted Victorian property with a wealth of period features and situated within walking distance of the town centre. Offered for sale with no onward chain.



Haverhill

£129,950

A extremely well presented and charming two bedroom period property situated in a popular residential street within walking distance to the town centre and its amenities. Viewing recommended.



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A recently modernised home on the popular Parkway development. Accommodation of lounge/diner, kitchen/diner, WC, 3 bedrooms, en-suite and a family bathroom. Off road parking for 2 vehicles at the front and a fully enclosed rear garden. Viewing is strongly recommended.

HAVERHILL £195,000

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A semi detached Victorian home within walking distance of the town centre. To include lounge, kitchen/diner, utility with WC, 3 bedrooms, family bathroom and 2 basement rooms. Front and rear garden and garage. Viewing strongly recommended. No onward chain.

HAVERHILL £179,500



A great opportunity to purchase this three bedroom detached bungalow on the popular Wilsey Development occupying a generous corner plot. Enclose garden, garage and driveway. Viewing is highly recommended. No onward chain.

HAVERHILL £129,000



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Green Road £249,995

Detached family home situated on the popular Barnaby Way development, g/f cloakroom, kitchen/breakfast room, lounge/dining room, en-suite to master bedroom, two bathrooms, five bedrooms, un-overlooked rear garden, UPVC double glazed windows & doors, detached single garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended



Boyton Close £275,000

Generous detached family home situated on the popular Boyton Hall development, three reception rooms, kitchen, g/f cloakroom, four bedrooms, en-suite & family bathroom, detached double garage & driveway, delightful front, rear & side gardens



Risbridge Drive, Kedington £365,000

Well presented detached family home situated in a popular Suffolk village, g/f cloakroom, kitchen/breakfast room with integrated appliances, utility room, three reception rooms, five bedrooms, en-suite shower room, family bath/shower room, UPVC double glazed windows & doors, detached double garage, larger than average plot



Withersfield Road £259,995

Extended detached bungalow, non - estate location, kitchen/breakfast room, lounge, dining room, conservatory, two bedrooms, en-suite & bathroom, un-overlooked rear garden, garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended



Raine Avenue £245,000

Popular Cambridge side of town, detached family home, g/f cloakroom, kitchen & utility room, three reception rooms, four bedrooms, en-suite facilities to master & bedroom two, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, attached double garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended



Apple Tree Cottage, Hundon £240,000

Beautifully presented & restored cottage dating from 1855 with planning permission to create a sizable three double bedroom family home, situated in a sought after Suffolk village, many original features, sitting/dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, bathroom, two bedrooms, un-overlooked rear garden



Abbotts Croft, Sturmer £220,000

Located in the heart of a popular Essex village, detached chalet bungalow, re-fitted kitchen, lounge, separate dining room, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, separate shower room/WC, garage & driveway, un-overlooked rear garden, viewing recommended



Jasmine Cottage, Withersfield £250,000

Popular village location, charming Grade II listed cottage with a wealth of character and original features, kitchen/diner, sitting room with open red brick fireplace, two bedrooms, bathroom, delightful gardens, garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended



Roman Way £219,995

Detached bungalow situated on the Turpins Ride development, three bedrooms, re-fitted kitchen, separate dining room, lounge, re-fitted shower room, gas fired central heating, front & rear gardens, detached single garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended



Beaumont Court £219,950

Popular location, delightful detached bungalow, lounge, L-shaped kitchen/dining room, conservatory, two bedrooms, bathroom, attached garage with driveway & additional parking, delightful gardens



Hales Barn Road £199,995

Well presented townhouse located on the Cambridge side of town, g/f cloakroom, modern kitchen with many integral appliances, lounge, family room/dining room, three double bedrooms, en-suite & family bathroom, enclosed rear garden & garage, viewing highly recommended





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NEW LISTING **NO CHAIN**

Linton Place **£145,000**

End terrace family home located on the Chalkstone development, built in 2006, g/f cloakroom, fitted kitchen with some integrated appliances, lounge & dining room, three double bedrooms, family bathroom, rear garden with workshop, viewing highly recommended

NEW PRICE **NO CHAIN**

Monarch Close **£184,950**

Detached family home, quiet cul-de-sac location on the Cambridge side of town, g/f cloakroom, lounge, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms, en-suite to master bedroom, family bathroom, converted garage offering annexe facilities, driveway

Henderson Close **£179,950**

Detached family home situated on the popular Hanchett Park development, g/f cloakroom, kitchen, dining room, lounge, conservatory, three bedrooms, en-suite & family bathroom, attached garage & drive, front & rear gardens, viewing highly recommended

NEW LISTING

Hempstead Road **£135,000**

Ideal investment opportunity, two bedroom terraced property located on the popular Hanchett Village development on the Cambridge side of town, kitchen, lounge/dining room, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, rear garden, garage en-bloc & further parking, viewing highly recommended

Henry Close **£178,500**

Popular Cambridge side of town location, well presented family home, g/f cloakroom, kitchen/diner with integrated appliances, L-Shape lounge, three bedrooms, en-suite & family bathroom, g/f c/h, single garage & driveway, delightful rear & side gardens, viewing highly recommended

NEW PRICE **NO CHAIN**

Broad Street **£167,950**

Popular close to town location, semi detached family home, lounge/dining room, kitchen, UPVC conservatory, three bedrooms, re-fitted first floor bathroom, un-overlooked rear garden measuring approx 100ft

NO CHAIN

Chaplains Close **£167,950**

Popular residential location, semi detached family home, g/f cloakroom, lounge, separate dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, UPVC double glazing, g/f c/h, garage & parking

NEW LISTING

Approach Cottages, Withersfield **£149,950**

End of terrace character home situated in a popular residential location, lounge with open fireplace, separate dining room, kitchen with utility area, conservatory, two bedrooms, bath/shower room, o/f c/h, delightful rear garden, viewing highly recommended

Forest Glade **Leasehold £112,500**

Popular residential location, well presented first floor maisonette, lounge/dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms, bathroom, UPVC double glazed windows, allocated parking, gardens, viewing highly recommended

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LET AGREED

Glemsford Place **£675 pcm**

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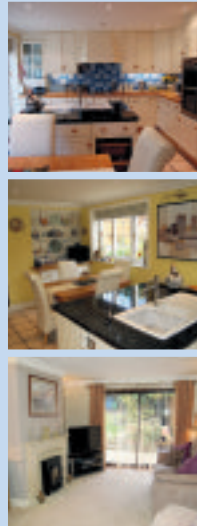
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- Double glazed
- Kitchen/dining room
- Conservatory
- Low maintenance rear garden

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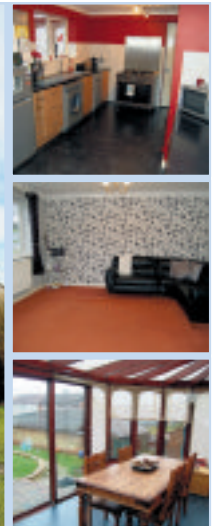


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- Garage
- Viewings highly recommended

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- Cloakroom
- Conservatory

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Located within this popular village, in a quiet cul de sac this unfurnished detached house offers accommodation comprising a lounge, dining room, kitchen/breakfast room and cloakroom, four bedrooms and family bathroom to the first floor. Pleasant rear garden and garage with parking

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STEEPLE BUMPSTEAD

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Benacre

£269,995

A Beautifully presented extended 4 bedroom detached house on Hanchett Grange development, the property has spacious accommodation & 3 Reception rooms.



Six Mile Bottom

£104,000

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Connaught Road £125,000
An immaculately presented 3 bedroom family home which has undergone extensive improvement internally and externally. Re-fitted Kitchen & Bathroom.



Rogeron Close, Hundon £235,000
Recently renovated 3 bed link detached bungalow in village of Hundon. Situated in a quiet cul de sac location. Spacious accommodation, oil fired c/h, uPVC d/g.



Kedington £174,950
Deceptively spacious extended 3 bedroom Victorian cottage in the sought after village location of Kedington. The property has a good size rear garden and off street parking, the property must be viewed.



Strawberry Fields £149,995
3 Bed end of terrace on the Strawberry Fields development. Property benefits from spacious accommodation, garage and off road parking.

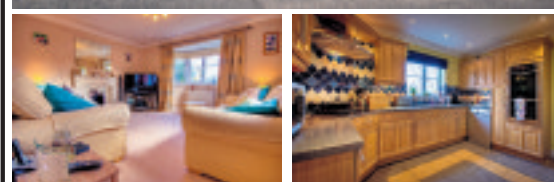


SOLD

Belmont Court OIRO £130,000
Spacious 4 terrace house. Re-fitted kitchen, fitted shower room, conservatory, combi gas boiler, must be viewed to appreciate the size & condition of the property.



NO CHAIN



Benacre £269,995
A Beautifully presented extended 4 bedroom detached house on Hanchett Grange development, the property has spacious accommodation & 3 Reception rooms.



NEW

Six Mile Bottom £104,000
A well presented 1 bedroom ground floor apartment, this apartment is ideally situated for access to Cambridge or Newmarket. This property has spacious accommodation throughout.



Hundon £199,995
Extended 4 bed semi-detached house in Hundon. The property sits on a good sized plot and has potential for further extensions.



NO CHAIN

Eden Road £117,500
Victorian terrace close to town centre ideal investment opportunity or 1st purchase. Lounge, Kitchen, Dining Room, 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom, Courtyard garden.



NO CHAIN



Withersfield £399,995
Large detached house, separate Annex. Great sized accommodation: 4 Reception, 5 Beds, 3 Bathrooms, 2 Kitchens, large garden onto open fields.



NO CHAIN

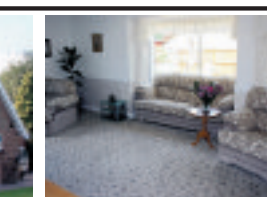
Bloomsfield Road £152,500
Spacious 3 double bedroom duplex apartment. Good size lounge, kitchen/diner, downstairs W.C & bathroom. Garage & Parking.



NO CHAIN



Sturmer OIRO £369,995
5 Bed Detached house in Sturmer. Light & spacious accommodation with 2 Reception rooms, En Suite, Double Garage, Hot tub included in sale.



Croft Lane £289,995
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Burton End £150,000 OIRO
A beautifully presented extended 3 Bedroom mid terrace house with fantastic landscaped gardens, must be viewed to be appreciated.



NO CHAIN



Mortimer Place £249,995
3 Bedroom detached house in the sought after village location of Clare, the property backs onto open fields and has panoramic views over beautiful rolling hills.



NO CHAIN

Dovehouse Road OIRO £115,000
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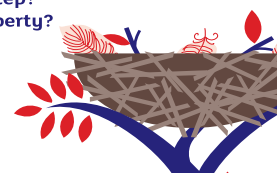
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Beautifully presented, 4 bedroom, detached family home.

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LINTON £174,500

A two bedroom retirement bungalow with communal gardens

Accommodation comprises entrance hall, living / dining room, kitchen, bathroom and two double bedrooms, with the benefit of communal gardens and parking area.



STEEPLE BUMPSTEAD £425,000

A generous and well presented, detached family home set in good sized gardens

Accommodation comprises cloakroom, study, living room, dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, utility room, 4 bedrooms (one with en-suite) and family bathroom.

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Revolutionary Volt charges in

Chevrolet order banks open

ORDER banks are now open for the revolutionary Chevrolet Volt at Cambridge Chevrolet – the car that takes the range anxiety out of electric motor-ing.

Thanks to its mould-breaking E-REV technology (Extended Range Electric Vehicle) the Volt will never leave its driver stranded, unlike some other electric cars that will only travel a finite distance between charges.

This is thanks to an onboard petrol generator, which sustains battery power when the range is depleted so that the car can still be driven, with the wheels powered by its electric motor until it can be recharged.

Luke Gordon, franchise manager at Cambridge Chevrolet, commented: “We’re really excited to be introducing such an important car to the area, Cambridge is geared toward the environment and new technology, and I for one cannot wait to see the Volt about the city.”

The final UK specification of the Volt has also been announced, to include such premium features as heated leather seats, Bluetooth with voice recognition and embedded phone, electronic keyless ignition with touch button start, 17-inch alloy wheels, ambient LED-based interior lighting, solar absorbing glass, DAB Digital Radio and an energy-efficient six-speaker stereo system that uses minimal electricity to operate.

Other specification highlights include fully programmable door locking, cruise control, aircon, a 7-inch LCD screen with Driver Information Centre, touch-sensitive controls on the centre console, a pedestrian alert system, rear camera and front and rear park assist and a leather-wrapped steering wheel.

Only one trim level will be available, priced at £29,995 after the UK government’s Low Carbon Vehicle grant (£34,995 pre-grant).

Options include a premium audio system featuring sat-nav, DVD-ROM and MP3 playback facility, seven energy-efficient BOSE speakers with sub-woofer, voice recognition and a hard drive with 30Gb of music storage priced at £1,745, 17-inch polish-

ed alloy wheels at £490 and a range of special/metallic paint options from £495.

As the first car in the world to feature E-REV technology, the Volt has already picked up several awards, including North American Car of the Year, Green Car of the Year, Motor Trend Car of the Year 2011 and 2011 World Green Car.

Initially, the car will be available through two dedicated Volt centres – as well as Cambridge Chevrolet, the Volt will be available at Phoenix Chevrolet in Wimbledon, south-west London.

For further information, contact Cambridge Chevrolet on (01223) 873673 or go to www.cambridgechevrolet.co.uk.

Female writers to pick ‘Car of 2012’

WOMEN motoring writers from around the world have started the voting process to nominate the Women’s World Car of the Year for 2012.

The judges from 11 countries first submitted their own personal short list and more than 300 cars were suggested. These individual choices were then whittled down to form a master list of 32 in terms of popularity. Judges will now allocate points for these cars from a criteria list.

There are four categories in the Women’s World Car of the Year – Family Car, Luxury Car, Sports Car and Economy Car. Points are allocated to each of 10 criteria. Unusual in car awards worldwide is that one of those is for child friendliness yet statistics show that women drive children in cars significantly more often than men.

This year has seen an increase in the number of judges voting. Women motoring writers from

Argentina, China and Japan have been added to the voting panel while other judges from Australia and New Zealand have joined home colleagues on the jury panel.

The 20 women judges will send their secret-ballot votes to international auditors and accountants, Grant Thornton, at their Auckland, New Zealand, office and responses will be collated to produce the final awards list. The car with the most points in each category wins that category and the vehicle receiving the most votes overall in any category will win the Women’s World Car of the Year for 2012 supreme award.

The announcement of the winning cars in each category and the supreme winner will be made before the end of March. The supreme award trophy and category certificates will be presented to the car companies concerned at the Mondial de l’Automobile 2012 – the Paris Motor

Show – in September. The supreme trophy will this year be made in The Netherlands. Category-winner certificates will be designed at Peartree Studios in Colerne, UK.

Voting is currently taking place.

FAMILY CAR: Ford Focus, Audi Q3, Kia Optima, Subaru XV, Mercedes-Benz B-Class, BMW X1, Mazda CX5.

LUXURY CAR: Range Rover Evoque, Mercedes-Benz C-Class, Audi A6, Bentley Continental, Audi A7, BMW 6 Series, BMW 3 Series, Peugeot 508, Jaguar XJ.

SPORTS CAR: Porsche 911–991, Jaguar XKR, Audi RS5, Renault Mégane III, Ferrari FF Ferrari 458 Spider, BMW Series 1 M, VW Golf R, Lamborghini Aventador, Mercedes-Benz SLK, Mercedes-Benz CLS AMG.

ECONOMY CAR: VW up!, Kia Rio, Kia Picanto, Honda CRZ, Honda Civic, Mazda 3 Skyactiv, Ford Fiesta Econetic, Hyundai Accent Diesel.

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New direction:
The Land Rover
Evoque convertible.



IN a bold change of direction Land Rover is set to unveil a concept convertible Evoque at the 2012 Geneva Motor Show.

The recently-launched Evoque has already been a hit with customers as the Halewood factory is struggling to meet demand, and judging by this latest offering the waiting list could grow still further.

Although only a concept, it is designed to gauge public reaction with a view to

potential production, and given the Evoque has won fans with its style-conscious approach it seems highly likely that the response will be favourable.

The convertible concept is based on the Evoque coupe, and retains seating for four as well as the signature drop-down tailgate.

An automatic roll-over protection system allows the convertible Evoque to have a clean waistline without unsightly roll bars, and Land Rover says it has all the same off-road capability of the regular car thanks to the



Wow: Land Rover's convertible has excellent seating for four thanks to drop-down tailgate.

Terrain Response system.

The concept features unique 21-inch wheels and a new body colour

which may become available on Land Rover's regular Evoque models.

A production version

might not appear until the end of 2012, but expect to pay a four-figure premium over a regular coupe Evoque.

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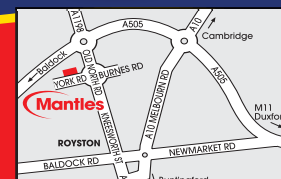
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FOOTBALL

RIDGEONS LEAGUE

Premier Division: CRC 2 Felixstowe & Walton Utd 0, Diss Town 1 Haverhill Rov 0, Ely City 2 Gt Yarmouth Tn 0, FC Clacton 1 Kirkley & Pakefield 1, Gorleston 1 Wivenhoe 1, Hadleigh Utd 1 Wisbech Tn 2, Norwich Utd 2 Walsham le Willows 1, Wroxham 1 Bratham Ath 1.

RIDGEONS RESERVE LEAGUE

South Division: Haverhill Rov 1 Brightingsea Regent 3.

ESSEX AND SUFFOLK BORDER LEAGUE

Division One: Haverhill Sports Association 3 Mersea Island 1.

KERSHAW LEAGUE

Premier Division: Brampton 1 Over Sports 3, Chatteris Tn 3 Foxton 2, Cottenham Utd 0 Linton Grantha 3, Eaton Socon 4 Somersham Tn 2, Newmarket Tn res 1 West Wrattling 1, Waterbeach 1 Lakenheath 4.

Senior A: Castle Camps 5 Wimblington 1, Debden 0 Great Paxton 3, Hutton 1 Cherry Hinton 0, Milton 4 Cambridge City res 3, Sawston Utd 7 Needingworth Utd 1, Wisbech St Mary 5 Girtton Utd 0, Wisbech Tn res 1 Soham Tn Rgrs res 2.

Senior B: Duxford Utd 4 Outwell Swifts 2, Lakenheath res 0 Saffron Crocus 2, Mildenhall Tn res 5 Fulbourn Institute res (post), Swavesey Institute 1 St Ives Rgrs 0, West Wrattling res 1 Comberton Utd 0.

BIS LEAGUE

Division 1A: Barrington 0 Sawston Rov 2, Fowlmire 0 Royston Tn A 0, Gamlingay Utd 1 Eaton Socon res 1, Hardwick res 0 RHS Utd 1, Steeple Bumpstead 2 Bottisham Sports 1, Whittlesford Utd 3 Clare Tn 0.

Division 3A: Abington Utd 1 Fulbourn Institute A 0, Balsham 3 Orwell 2, Comberton Utd res 2 Wilbraham 2, Hardwick A 4 Lode 2, Linton Grantha res 4 Eaton Socon A 0, Steeple Morden 5 Hutton res 0.

Division 4A: Cambridge Ambassadors 5 West Wrattling A 1, Cherry Hinton res 1 Littlelington Athletic 2, Foxton res 1 Duxford Utd res 2, Grandson 1 Saffron Rgrs 3, Great Paxton res 0 Fowlmire res 1, Meldreth 2 Haverhill Athletic 3.

Division 5A: City Life res 2 Sawston Rov res 0, Glemsford & Cav Utd res 1 Castle Camps res 1, Saffron Dynamos 0 Newport 3, Studlands Park 2 Saffron Crocus res 2, Thurlow v Sawston Utd A (home w/o).

TREADFIRST HALSTEAD LEAGUE

Premier Division: Finchingfield 0 Kedington 6, Helions Bumpstead 4 Pebmarsh 3, Rayne Res 1 Punch 681.

S-TECH CAMBS GIRLS' LEAGUE

Under-12: Haverhill Rov 1 St Ives Rgrs 4, Histon Hornets 4 Chatteris Tn 0, Hormead Hares 0 Cambridge City 6, Isleham Utd 1 Burwell Tigers 0.

Under-13 South: Haverhill Rovers 0 Comberton Crusaders 2.

Under-16: Bar Hill 3 Sawtry 1, Buckden 1 Netherton Diamonds 6, Haverhill Rov 1 Burwell Tigers 1.

BM KEMPTON 9v9 YOUTH LEAGUE

Division A: Aztecs 3 Great Bardfield 1, Burwell Tigers 1 Cherry Hinton Lions 0, Cambourne Eagles 2 Cambridge Celts 3, West Wrattling 1 Hardwick Harriers 1.

Division B: Cambridge Diamonds 2 Milton 3, Comberton Crusaders 1 Mepal Sports 2, Haslingfield 1 Swavesey Spartans 1, Spartak 78 0 Red Lodge 6, Steeple Bumpstead 0 Panthers 1.

CAMBS MINI LEAGUE

Under-9A: Haverhill Rov White 5 Aztecs 6, Little Legends 6 Thurlow 5, Saffron Hawks 0 Kedington 4, Saffron Walden Tn White 4 Sawston Utd 1, Spartak 78 White 1 Shelford & Stapleford Strikers White 2.

Under-10A: Plantation White 3 Spartak 78 0, Saffron Walden Tn 1 Haverhill Rov White 1, Sawston Utd 0 West Wrattling 0, Shelford & Stapleford Strikers White 7 Great Bardfield 2.

Under-10B: Haverhill Rov Blue 2 Newmarket Tn Yellow 2, Newmarket Tn Blue 0 Panthers 6, Soham Tn Rgrs 2 Aztecs 2, Wilbraham Warriors 0 Teversham 8.

Under-11B: Dynamo Foxton 3 Oakington Vikings 5, Grandson 0 Bluntisham Blasters Blue 2, Haverhill Rov Blue 1 Whittlesford Warriors 3, Longstanton 2 Soham Utd 1, Waterbeach White 1 Sawston Utd 0.

Under-11D: Bluntisham Blasters White v Hardwick Harriers White (post), Milton 7 Great Bardfield 0, Over Sports 2 Fulbourn Falcons White 0, West Wrattling 5 Aztecs White 1.

Under-11E: Aztecs Blue 0 Waterbeach Blue 6, Bottisham 1 Mepal Sports 5, Haverhill Rov White 2 Caldecote 4, Willingham Wolves 3 Gamlingay Utd 1, Witford 2 Thurlow 1.

Sunday

TREADFIRST SUDBURY & DISTRICT SUNDAY LEAGUE

Division Two: Boxford 7 Gallery 3.

Division Three: Acton Crown 1 Stoke By Clare 1, Cole Green 3 AFC Thurlow 2.

Division Four: Bildeston Rgrs 3 Northcroft 0, Sudbury Vikings 18 Cornard Five Bells 0, Wells Hall Wdrs 0 Long Melford Workmen 6.

DON EVANS CUP

Second round: Haverhill Rose & Crown 5 Assington 2, HESMC res 3 Haverhill Rose Tavern 2.

Quarter-final: Birdbrook Plough 4 Pebmarsh Dragons 2.

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Second round: The Breamden 0 Cornard Crusaders 9.

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TREADFIRST SUDBURY & DISTRICT SUNDAY LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP

Quarter-finals: Horse & Groom 8 Woolpack Wdrs 2, Lavenham 2 Lionhearts 6.

CAMBRIDGE AND DISTRICT COLTS LEAGUE

Under-12B: Arbury Aces 10 Tuddenham Rgrs 0, Witford 11 Stretham Sporting 1, Godmanchester Rov 6 Haverhill Rov 2, Hutton Hawks 0 Isleham Utd 3, Shelford & Stapleford Strikers 8 Ramsey 1, St Ives Rgrs White Sox v Chatteris Tn (post).

Under-13C: Haverhill Rov 6 Chatteris Tn White 1, Huntingdon Rowdies 2 Waterbeach 9, Plantation 1 Whittlesford Warriors 1, Stretham Sporting 4 Needingworth Blue 1, Hutton Hawks 1 Cambridge Celts 10.

Under-13E: Fulbourn Institute 1 Aztecs 5, Needingworth Yellow 2 Steeple Bumpstead Dynamos 8, Burwell Tigers 7 Great Paxton 1, Sutton Rgrs v Walpole Warriors (post).

Under-14B: Cherry Hinton Lions 1 Waterbeach 4, Kedington 2 Walpole Warriors 2, Shelford & Stapleford Strikers 0 Mildenhall Tn 1, St Ives Rgrs 1 Black Sox v Little Paxton (post).

Under-15A: Arbury Aces 5 St Ives Rgrs Black Sox 1, Haverhill Rov Blue 1 Cherry Hinton Lions White 2, Fulbourn Falcons v Saffron Walden Tn 1, Milton v Chatteris Tn White (post), Priority Parkside Black v Soham Utd (post), West Wrattling 2 Godmanchester Rov White 4.

Under-15C: Buckden 3 Needingworth 1, Gamlingay Utd 0 Hutton Hawks 6, Hemingford 3 Whittlesford Warriors 4, Walden Wanderers 5 Godmanchester Rov Blue 2, Ely City 4 Staploe & Duloe 2.

DARTS

HAVERHILL WINTER LEAGUE

Haverhill Snooker & Bowl C 3 Rose Tavern B 5

Singles: G Everitt (100, 120) It R Frewer (100x2, 140x2), J Pawley (100x2, 125) It G Manning (100x3, 102out, 122) K Barnes (100x4) bt S Manning, M Lansdowne (100) bt R Manning (110). **Doubles:** K McDonaldough (120) & M Lansdowne It G Manning (100x2, 140) & R Frewer (100x2, 125), K Barnes (100x2, 140) & G Everitt (100x2, 120) bt T Bright (100x2) & D Manning (100x2, 125). **Triple:** K Barnes, J Pawley & G Everitt (125) It G Manning (135, 140), R Frewer (125) & T Bright. **Fours:** K Barnes (100), G Everitt (100), J Pawley (105) & K McDonaldough.

Captains Cup: G Manning (Rose Tavern B)

Haverhill Snooker & Bowl A 5 White Hart 3

Singles: P Page (100, 171) bt C Daly (140), W Bloomfield (100x3, 180) bt D Russell, A Yates (100) bt D Everitt (100x2, 140), K Claydon (121, 125, 129) It D Flynn (100x2, 140). **Doubles:** P Smith & B Marlow (140) It D Flynn (121) & C Daly (140), W Bloomfield (100x3, 140, 180) & S Hemingway bt D Everitt & D Barnes. **Triple:** P Page, W Bloomfield (100x4, 121, 140) & A Yates (100) bt C Daly (100, 125), D Barnes (140) & D Russell. **Fours:** K Claydon, P Smith, S Hemingway & W Bloomfield (100x3) It D Flynn, D Russell, D Barnes & C Daly (100). **Captains Cup:** A Yates (Haverhill Snooker & Bowl A).

Rose Tavern A 4

Haverhill Snooker & Bowl B 4

Singles: D Simpkin (100x2) bt A Grey (100), A Topper (100, 137, 140x2) bt M Cranham (100x3), M Fitzsimons (100, 120) It W Kingsbury (100x2), A Pordage (100x2, 140, 180) bt N Wright (100, 140). **Doubles:** D Simpkin (100x2) & M Fitzsimons It B Cook (121) & W Kingsbury (125, 140), A Topper & A Pordage (100, 140x2) bt M Cranham (140) & N Wright. **Triple:** A Topper (100), D Simpkin (100) & A Pordage (100x2) It M Cranham (100), W Kingsbury (114) & N Wright (100x4, 140). **Fours:** A Topper (100, 121, 140), D Simpkin (100, 125, 140), A Pordage (100, 140) & C Dale It M Cranham (100), W Kingsbury (100, 140), B Cook (120) & N Wright (100).

Captains Cup: A Topper (Rose Tavern A)

Queen's Head 1 ESMC B 7

Singles: D Craig (100) It R Skeggs-Terry (100, 140), T Barrett (100) It R Dean (100), W Smith (120) bt G Evans (100), S Linnane (100, 121) It B Ellis (100, 132). **Doubles:** W Smith & S Holmes It R Skeggs-Terry & B Ellis, T Barrett & D Craig (100) It R Dean (100) & C Chapman (100). **Triple:** Linnane (100x2, 140), W Smith (100x2, 125) & S Holmes It R Skeggs-Terry, V Chapman & J Dean. **Fours:** D Craig, T Barrett, S Linnane (100, 120) & W Smith (100) It R Den (100, 140), B Ellis (140), G Evans & R Skeggs-Terry (140).

Captains Cup: S Linnane (Queen's Head).

ESMC A 7 Haverhill Rovers 1

Singles: S Young (100x4, 133, 140) bt P Goodings (100x4, 140), S Wells (100x3, 125, 140) bt T Edwards (100x2, 137), S Dickson It M Haines (100x3), G Flynn (100x4, 121, 140) bt V Tokley (100x2, 125). **Doubles:** D Fish (100, 119) & R Phillips (100) bt M Austin (100) & J Linnane, S Young (140) & I Clarke (100) bt M Haines (140) & V Tokley (100). **Triple:** S Dickson (100, 140), D McPhail (100) & P Huggill (100, 140) bt M Austin (100), V Tokley (100) & M Tokley (140). **Fours:** P Huggill, I Clarke (100), D McPhail (100), S Young (125) bt M Haines (100x3, 140), V Tokley, M Austin & J Linnane.

Captains Cup: G Flynn (ESMC A).

HOCKEY

SUFFOLK LEAGUE

Premier Division: Harwich & Doy 0 Haverhill 3.

Division One: Lowestoft 0 Haverhill 11.

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Division One: Haverhill 58 Colchester A 0.

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>> Youth football

Wrattling are rocked by a late leveller

West Wrattling 1 Hardwick Harriers 1
BM Kempton 9v9 League, under-12
WEST Wrattling continued their unbeaten run this year, but only just.

Their unpredictable home form continued in a hard-fought game where Wrattling's bright start faded against a resilient Harriers' side, who finished by far the stronger.

Wrattling took the lead at the height of their early superiority, Jayden Bayford firing into the bottom corner soon after Daniel Cordwell had gone close with a header.

However, Harriers worked their way back into the game and only dogged defending and some good saves from Charlie Mitchison prevented them from equalising before the break.

That pattern continued into the second half, but just when Wrattling thought they

had done enough to hold on, they conceded the equaliser, a rising shot into the roof of the net from the edge of the box.

West Wrattling 2 Godmanchester Rovers 4
Cambridge and District Colts League, under-15A
THREE goals in a purple patch after the break settled the contest as West Wrattling were sliced open by some classy football. As well as the Affordable Courier Services-sponsored side played, they were caught on the break and the fact that keeper Aaron Millar was named man-of-the-match spoke volumes for Rovers' ability.

After a goalless first half, Wrattling broke the deadlock when Mark Coulson slipped the ball past the on-rushing keeper after a superb pass from Ben Weedon. However, they were 4-1 adrift by

the time Jack Ferguson intercepted a throw-in and lobbed the out-rushing keeper.

Kedington 2 Walpole Warriors 2
Cambridge and District Colts League, under-14B
GIVEN the wet and windy conditions, and the quality of the opposition, Kedington were satisfied with a point. The teams have featured in some memorable confrontations in recent seasons, and Sunday's contest was no different, both struggling to assert themselves.

Kedington made the breakthrough when Ty Alleyne turned in Cameron Larkin's cross from the right, and they added their second 10 minutes from time when Bailey Cassidy's crunching tackle left the ball free for Jason Moore to float towards Alleyne, who headed the ball on to Ellis Wiffen, who ran through to finish.

>> Table tennis

It's Rhys lightning!

RHYS Davies completed a hat-trick of Suffolk Schools County Table Tennis Championships by winning the under-16 tournament held at Stowupland Table Tennis Centre.

The 16-year-old Castle Manor School, Haverhill pupil was rarely troubled throughout the competition and sealed victory with a comfortable 3-0 win over No 1 seed Will Halls.

Davies was not expected to feature in the latter stages but he played some of his best table tennis throughout.

In the semi-finals he overcame Samuel Ward School pupil Sam Horscroft, while Sam's twin brother Alex lost to Halls in the last four.

Davies added the under-16 title to the under-13 and under-11 championships he has won in the past.

Gracjen Sen, also of Castle Manor School, clinched the under-19 championship following a nail-biting final against top seed Jack Anthony.

The pair were tied at 2-2 going into the



The Haverhill challenge: (From left) Rhys Davies, Sam Horscroft, Alex Horscroft and Gracjen Sen CP

final set with 17-year-old Sen clinching it in dramatic style 11-9. In his previous five matches, Sen was relatively untroubled as he lived up to his third seed status. Sen and Davies will now go on to represent

Suffolk in the national schools finals.

Davies, Sen and the Horscroft twins are all members of Haverhill Table Tennis Club and regularly play in the Cambridge and District League.

>> Point to point



NICK Ainsworth (above) spearheaded the Team Aerocycles challenge in the final round of the Whyte mountain bike winter series at Mayday Meadow, Thetford Forest.

He battled with the leaders over five laps of the six-mile course, finishing third out of 136 on the day and second overall in the series.

Other members of the Haverhill-based team – Steve Foster, Nick Law and Rob Elliot – all improved their positions from previous rounds, but Sean Goodwin had to drop out after one lap because of technical problems.

Sam Tiplady produced another fine performance in the two-lap race, holding his own against older and more experienced riders, finishing 16th of the 33 starters.

However, Bradley Harrison never made it to the start line, the junior rider pulling up on the warm-up lap because of ligament damage caused by a crash in training.

Team Aerocycles are now looking forward to the five-round summer series, starting in Tunstall Forest next month. Further details about the club can be obtained from 01440 762200.



Fergusons keep it in family

TRAINER John Ferguson had particular reason to celebrate the first win of his triple at the Thurlow Hunt meeting at Horseheath.

The handler, from Cowlinge near Newmarket, saw his son James partner Earth Dream to victory in the Novice Riders' Race.

And he followed up with two more as stable jockey James Owen steered The Rodeo Clown to a two-length win in the Men's Open and took Colonel Iain first past the post in the Maiden Race.

The Ferguson-Owen partnership was beaten into second in two other races. Favourite Dr Harry Who was edged out in the Restricted Race by Can't Touch This, ridden by Clare Hobson.

And Macklin went down by a length at the hands of It Was Me, with Carey Williamson on board, who set the day's fastest time in the Club Members' Race.

The Ladies' Open was won by Defying Gravity, ridden by Bridget Andrews.



Rugby union

Stop...please:
A Sheldford
defender tries
to stop Keiron
McDonagh
from scoring
the first of his
two tries.
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McDonagh has rivals on run

Haverhill II 14 Sheldford V 15

Friendly
A LATE try condemned Haverhill to defeat after a game in which they managed to contain a strong Sheldford side. The visitors were keen to expose the space behind the home defence with kick-and-run tactics, and went ahead after five minutes. Elliott Patrick missed a penalty and Sheldford stretched away with another unconverted try before the break. However, Haverhill rejigged their line-up at the interval and that allowed Keiron McDonagh, who

played despite suffering from a stomach virus, to punch his way through and score under the posts, the conversion making it 10-7. Sheldford were unable to counter the menace of McDonagh, and he powered through for a second try, which Patrick converted to make it 14-10. But, as fatigue crept in, tempers began to flare and silly mistakes forced drastic measures to defend. Eventually Sheldford's strength earned the winning try, and although the visitors sensed another touch down, Haverhill's refusal to lay down made for an exciting finale.

Powerful Potter leads tries blitz

Haverhill 58 Colchester A 0

Suffolk Merit League, Division One
GIVEN Colchester's late arrival, the only mystery was how Haverhill, fielding their strongest possible side, failed to score more points.

They destroyed the visitors in every facet of the game and were in charge from the third minute when they got the ball over the visitors' line, only to be told it had been held up.

From the resultant scrum, the ball was turned over and Simon Potter at No 8 sent veteran fly-half Mark Jury hurtling over. Adam Hunt added the conversion.

Paul Bergin made it 12-0 on 21 minutes and eight minutes later Mike Woods added a superb solo try from a nice release from Hunt. He touched down under the posts and Hunt added the extras.

The only concerns were a penalty count, which would have been punished at Eastern Counties level, and a nasty eye injury to Dave Quinney, which first responder Dave Halsey managed to patch up.

However, on the stroke of half time, man of the match Potter scored his second try, with Hunt's conversion



Jury service: Veteran fly-half Mark Jury after scoring the first try

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making it 26-0 at the break. Haverhill continued their onslaught after the break, Jury sent Quinney over on 49 minutes, and a minute later Joe Brown scored, although the Colchester inside-centre was lucky not to receive a red card for trying to trip him as he went

to touch down under the posts. He escaped any sanction except for a penalty restart which Hunt converted to make it 38-0.

George Foley, Woods again, Hunt and Potter's hat-trick try – Hunt kicking two conversions – wound up the scoring.

Football

Rovers pay penalty

Diss Town 1
Haverhill Rovers 0

Ridgeons League, Premier Division

A DISPUTED penalty put paid to Haverhill's hopes of leaving Norfolk with any points.

But Peter Betts defended rather than criticised the officials after the second-half decision which cost his side the game.

Haverhill had the chance to go ahead in the first half when Joe Harvey was fouled in the box, but Stuart Wardley's penalty hit the bar.

On the hour, there was plenty of jostling in the box as a 35-yard kick out wide sailed into the arms of Aaron Benstead.

But the linesman was flagging and a penalty was awarded for Wardley tangling with an opponent. The Haverhill player was also sent off and Diss converted the spot kick.

"It was disappointing that an official's decision decided the game ultimately, but mistakes happen – they are only human," said Betts. "I'm not here to blast referees as it's a hard enough job as it is for them. I, as a manager, make mistakes and don't get criticised like referees do."

■ Haverhill's Suffolk Premier Cup semi-final against Lowestoft on Tuesday was postponed because the pitch at neutral venue Sudbury was waterlogged and has been rescheduled for March 20. Rovers are at home to rock-bottom Great Yarmouth in the Ridgeons League, Premier Division on Saturday.



Eye on the ball: HSA's Kyle Jaggar tangles with a Mersea Island opponent in their Essex and Suffolk Border League, Division One clash.

Picture: Gary Brown. CP

Haverhill Sports Association 3
Mersea Island 1
Essex and Suffolk Border League,
Division One

THE Haverhill side moved seven points clear at the top after a hard-fought win against gutsy Mersea, who belied their lowly league status with a gutsy performance.

They found it hard to break down a team who got 10 men behind the ball as often as possible, and they made a fortunate breakthrough when the Mersea keeper's clearance hit Callum Harrison and bounced kindly to Ant Fernandez, who unselfishly squared the ball back for Harrison to tap in. HSA dominated the first 30 minutes with no end product, while Mersea threatened on the break, equalising from the penalty spot after Ryan Geoghegan had been penalised. The visitors threatened to take control, but the introduction of Ryan Weaver and man-of-the-match Ben Bradley added some pace and urgency to the HSA attack.

The Haverhill side went ahead when Jon Welch's shot crept into the net following two deflections and sealed the points when Harrison's goal-bound shot was instinctively handled on the line by a defender, who was sent off. Weaver despatched the spot kick.

HSA close in on the title

Newmarket res 1
West Wrattling 1

Kershaw League, Premier Division
WRATTING'S joint-boss Brian Pilgrim was pressed into action as Newmarket reserves grabbed a point to help their fight against relegation.

Ricky Baker and Tom Attwood both had chances for Wrattling in the first half before Craig Cutts gave them the edge on 55 minutes after being put through by Baker.

However, Baker was forced off by a shin injury and Pilgrim was forced to play the last 12 minutes.

Pilgrim said: "They probably had five first-teamers start, but it was probably the worst game I've been involved in – we couldn't get the ball down."

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